

A WANT AD WILL CONVERT INTO CASH SOME OF THOSE THINGS YOU HAVE NO FURTHER USE FOR; SOMEONE ELSE CAN USE THEM

THE WEATHER
Snow flurries tonight;
Sunday fair and
colder

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Returns

PRICE TWO CENTS

U. S. WAR CRAFT TO QUIET NICARAGUA

TAFT WILL JOIN MEXICO IN
KEEPING PEACE
ZELAYA IS THE DISTURBER
NICARAGUAN PRESIDENT TO BE
SAT UPON SOON
VESSELS ARE ON THE WAY
Washington Awaits Word From Diaz
—Sea Battle Report is Not
Confirmed

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The
navy department is considering the
advisability of sending marines to
Nicaragua, awaiting the suggestion of
the Mexican government. Five
hundred are stationed at Panama and
200 at Guantanamo. They will be
ready to sail at any moment.
President Zelaya of Nicaragua is
regarded as the disturber of the
peace in Central America and there
is a disposition to hold him responsible
for the present outbreak with
Salvador.

WASHINGTON, March 13.—“Keep
the lion in his cage.” is substantially
the order that has been sent out to
the commanders of the American
warships now on the way to patrol
the coast of Nicaragua. Any attempt
on the part of President Zelaya to in-
vade the territory of Salvador or
Costa Rica, or to transport troops
will be the occasion of active partici-
pation of Mexico and the United
States in the conflict now going on.
Ambassador de la Barr of Mexico
is in cable communication with his
government today and at the state
and navy departments the Central
American situation was the subject
of prolonged conferences.

More energetic measures are being
framed to restrict the Nicaraguan
warship within even narrower limits in
case the present disturbances do not
subside.

To Sever Connections
On the other hand if Zelaya re-
tains his bellicose attitude, it is ex-
pected that he will completely sever
diplomatic relations with the United
States by withdrawing Minister Es-
pinosa.

Ships at Sea
The Dubuque is on her way from
Guantanamo to Blue fields, the Ta-
coma is under orders to proceed to
Puerto Cortez and the Yorktown to
Annapolis on the Pacific coast.
An additional warship will be sent
to Corinto. Dispatches are momen-
tarily expected from the Mexican
government concerning a course of ac-
tion to be followed conjointly with
the United States.

Battle Not Confirmed
The state department, up to noon
today, had received no dispatches
confirming the report of a naval en-
gagement between the gunboats.
Presidents of Salvador and the Mo-
tombo of Nicaragua. The Presidente
is the old Empire a wooden ship sail-
ing out of Portland years ago in the
lumber trade. She was later fitted
out for filibustering expedition from
San Francisco manned by Americans
and captured by an American war-
ship.

The Momotombo, the Nicaraguan
“navy,” is a steel vessel with two
small Krupp guns. As she has no wa-
ter-tight compartments, a shot below
the water line would sink her like
a tin kettle.

JOE GANS LACKS OLD TIME PUNCH

NEW YORK, March 13.—Joe
Gans, the “old master,” who in the
zenith of his career was the king of
all lightweights, is today not the
Gans of old. The old punch, the
punch that sent many an aspirant for
championship honors down and out
for the count, is gone.

Gans bested abet White last night
in a ten round bout, but the En-
glishman would have been beaten by
any second rater. Gans floored his
man twice in the sixth round; he
floored him again after that, but the
punches lacked the old power.
White came over here heralded as a
world beater but the bout he put
up last night will not win for him
any championship honors.

Gans was not the Gans of old, but
he was good enough to best the En-
glishman.
DON'T LOVE EAMES.
CHICAGO, March 13.—Mme.
Eames, hinted at in the hearing be-
fore Supreme Court Justice O’Gor-
man in New York yesterday as the
cause of the breach between Mrs.
Eames De Gogorsca and her husband,
the baritone, today continued to re-
fuse to make any statement regard-
ing the case. De Gogorsca, however,
was more approachable and discussed
the case. He said:
“Man alive, I’m paying her \$3,000
a year alimony now. Mme. Eames’
name was mentioned maliciously and
there is no reason for it being in
the papers at all. It is not true that
I am infatuated with Mme. Eames.”

GOING AWAY FROM HERE



Ex-President Roosevelt’s entire hunting equipment ready for the
steamer which is to take it to Africa. The big boxes and bags are all
plainly labeled—and you can see it in the picture if you look close—for
“President Roosevelt, Mombasa.” This gives some idea of the magnitude
of the task involved in getting Teddy ready for his vacation. The wagon
carries tents, guns, supplies, and scientific apparatus.

STEPHENSON PROMISED \$10,000 TO THE LUTHERAN CHURCH “IF HE WAS ELECTED”

VOTES SOLICITED ON THIS PROMISE

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—
Promises that Senator Stephenson,
IF ELECTED, would give \$10,000 to
the Lutheran Northwestern Universi-
ty, again entered into the senatorial
primary inquisition, when yesterday
afternoon Dr. J. F. Frank of Neills-
ville testified to the disbursement of
about \$600 for Stephenson. Frank
said he was authorized by Rev. Mr.
Eppling whose name heretofore has
been associated with checks paid out
by Stephenson, to make this prom-
ise throughout Clark county, and to
that end he hired Frank Marth to
“work among the Lutherans” with
this campaign argument.

After the Warden’s.
The full significance of the testi-
mony of State Game Warden J. W.
Stone did not dawn upon the mem-
bers of the legislature until yester-
day, after they had had an oppor-
tunity to digest it. Now it seems

that if factional lines among the
republicans ever were broken, they
are over the matter of the game war-
den’s department. This unanimity
may not be entirely manifest over
the Gaylord resolution to demand
the resignation of the various war-
dens named in Stone’s testimony,
but there is no doubt that a “clean-
ing out” of the department will be
accomplished in some form. In the
assembly yesterday, in the course of
his maiden speech, Assemblyman
Bray, speaking in favor of extend-
ing the time of the investigation to
April 10, declared the “moral sense
of the people has been awakened by
the revelations so far; now we must
nauseate them.” Bray is a stalwart
and in the senatorial primary favored
S. A. Cook, and what he says well
represents the feelings of the more
conservative stalwarts. Even solons
who have voted for Stephenson ap-
pear to be determined that some-
thing be done toward the reorga-
nization of the game warden’s depart-
ment.

WISCONSIN INSURGENTS WILL NOT GO INTO THE G. O. P. CAUCUS

FIGHT ON RULES IS TO BE CLOSE SHAVE

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13.—
(Special.)—News that John J. Esch,
one of the powers among the insur-
gent leaders, had been called home
by the desperate illness of his father,
was received with regret by the in-
surgent clan today. Sincere sym-
pathy with Mr. Esch was expressed, and
that the congressman’s grief did not
prevent him experiencing a feeling
of concern for the cause of reforma-

tion of the house rules was evident.
The other Wisconsin insurgents
got together following the departure
of Mr. Esch, and they still have
hopes of victory. Representative
Cooper, Nelson, Moore, Cary and Len-
root, will not go into caucus tonight.
Representative Hopp is claimed by
the Cannon forces, but he will prob-
ably remain with the insurgents.
Kuesterman is at home, and the
Cannon supporters have been wiring
for him, but got nothing definite as
to his attendance. Stafford and Da-
vidson are expected to stand by Can-
non.

FATHER OF JOHN ESCH IS PERHAPS FATALLY ILL IN SPARTA TODAY

SPARTA, Wis., March 13.—
The father of John J. Esch is
dangerously ill. His condition
is such that his life is desper-
ately of. Congressman Esch is on
his way home, a telegram hav-
ing been sent him at Washing-
ton.
Henry Esch is in his 82nd
year. He has been vigorous up
to two weeks ago, when an at-
tack of bronchial pneumonia
seized him. He battled with
the disease heroically, but to-
day it was announced that his
vitality would probably be un-
equal to the task of weathering
the storm.

SPURNS \$2 REWARD FOR SAVING TRAIN

HAMILTON, Ohio, March 13.—Be-
cause he considered two dollars too
low a price for a Pennsylvania train-
ful of passengers, Jesse Huston, a
farmer, has sent the money back to
the company with a note that he
would make the corporation a pres-
ent of his services. The services for
which the Pennsylvania, through its
local agent, tendered Huston two
dollars, consisted in saving a passen-
ger train from wreck in a washout
during the recent flood. Huston
heard of the washout and ran a mile
to the spot, arriving just in time to
flag the train.

SCRANTON FOR MINERS

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 13.—
The delegates of the anthracite
coal miners today decided on Scrant-
on, Pa., as the place for the conven-
tion of mine workers which will de-
cide the question of peace or war in
the anthracite region.
The date of the convention was set
for March 23.

SHOOT HIMSELF TO ENTERTAIN FRIENDS

PARIS, March 13.—Just be-
cause life bored him, Fernand
Ravenez, a young and rich Parisi-
an, killed himself early to-
day at Monte Carlo. He pro-
vided a sensation for his friends
in his taking off. He was the
host last night at a supper
where the entertainment provid-
ed a succession of surprises. To
the cries of pleasure from his
companions he replied: “This is
nothing. Just wait. The big-
gest surprise awaits you.”
At dawn the party broke up,
walking toward the orchestra.
Ravenez cried:
“Now for the big surprise.”
He placed a pistol to his head,
fired and fell dead.

TWO SALOONS ARE CLOSED BY POLICE

The Log Cabin saloon and the sa-
loon run by Ed. Crowley, 516 North
Fourth street, were closed yesterday
on the grounds that the owners did
not have a license. It is possible that
the proprietors will be granted new
licenses.

HUNDT GETS LICENSE

John Hundt was granted a license
by the council last evening to run
a saloon at 109 North Third street
in the place formerly occupied by
Maxie Brunette.

BURY KNUT HANSON IN LOCAL CEMETERY

It has been decided that the body
of Knut Hanson, of 1922 Charles
street, who died Thursday morning,
shall be interred in Oak Grove cem-
etery. The family burial place is in
Bostwick Valley and for a time his
relatives intended to bury him there
but decided otherwise.

ED LARSON DENIES GORDON PAID HIM

NEVER GOT A CENT OF THE STE-
PHENSON SWAG
HE WAS FOR W. H. HATTON
FORMER RECORDER DECLARES
HE NEVER CHANGED
LIFE IS MADE MISERABLE
Everybody Wants to Know What He
Did With Money—Gordon
Cuts Him Off

Edward Larson, former register of
deeds for La Crosse county, denies
that he received any money from
George Gordon to support the Ste-
phenson campaign, as testified by
Mr. Gordon before the senatorial
probe committee yesterday.

“I was for Hatton, and I voted for
Hatton,” said Mr. Larson to The
Tribune today.

“All the papers had the same
story,” continued Mr. Larson, “so I
take it Mr. Gordon could not have
been misrepresented. However, I
will take the quotation from the pa-
per that is defending him and which
got \$600 of the money—the Leader-
Press. It says:

“Mr. Gordon declared nothing
was said regarding the election of
members of the legislature and none
of the Stephenson money received
was used for such candidates. The
money, he said, was disbursed in
circulating campaign literature, etc.
He kept no record. Charles S. Van
Auken, E. G. Perkins, G. G. Lang, A.
F. Anderson and Edward Larson re-
ceived different amounts.”

“I am the only Edward Larson in
La Crosse county. I am also the only
Larson so far as I know who has
been prominent in politics. I want
to say that I never got a dollar of
Stephenson money from Mr. Gordon or
anybody else.”

“Did you speak to Mr. Gordon
about this?” Mr. Larson was asked.
“I did,” replied Mr. Larson. “I
called him up and asked him why he
said it, and he said it was untrue.
Then I told him I had not received
the money, and that I was coming
down to the office to get it.”

“Mr. Gordon banged up the ‘phone
with an invitation to me to go—
well, to go somewhere, I won’t say
where.”

Mr. Larson is thoroughly provoked
by his experience. He declares life
has been made miserable for him on
the streets.

“Everybody from the kids up to
the old men ask me ‘what I did with
the swag.’ I hear it everywhere I
go, and the people act as though I
had cracked a safe,” said the ex-of-
ficial.

DISCUSSES LIFE BEYOND THE GRAVE

The conditions in the life after
death will be the general theme of
the second part of the special series
of Sunday evening sermons now be-
ing preached by the Rev. A. Lincoln
Shute at the First Methodist Epis-
copal church.

Tomorrow evening the subject will
be, “Hell—Where and What is It
and Who Will Be There?” What
about fire and brimstone, the lake of
fire and Gehenna? The subjects on
succeeding Sunday evening will be
as follows:

March 21st. “Is there a chance of
escape after death?” Where do our
friends go when they die? What is
their condition between death and
the resurrection? Is it a condition
of probation so that those who die
without being Christians may find
there an opportunity of being saved?

March 28th. “Is future punishment
eternal?” We cannot afford to be
uncertain. But who knows? Some-
body does know, and he has told.
What does he say? Is the Univers-
alist dream of the final restoration
of all souls to final happiness and
blessedness the truth?

April 4th. “Heaven—Where and
what is it and who will be there?”
Is it worth the effort? And if it is,
how may we make sure of it?

“In the discussion of these impor-
tant themes,” says Rev. Shute, “I
will not deal with mere theories and
fond hopes, but only with the final
and eternal truth of God. The issues
are too serious for guesses or for
jest. We must know the truth and
know it now.”

JUDGE FRUIT BACK; BUT STILL WEAK

Hon. J. J. Fruit arrived in La
Crosse yesterday afternoon. Judge
Fruit has been confined for some
time at the Sacred Heart sanitarium
in Milwaukee, where he has been re-
cuperating from his recent illness.
He is looking rather thin but claims
that he is feeling very well. Judge
Fruit will undoubtedly take no part
in active work as yet, but will re-
main quietly at his home until he
regains some of his former strength.

THE TAKING O’ TH’ GREEN

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—(Special.)—The pedi-
ment illustrating the resources of the state in sculptural
form has been received at the capitol and has been
placed on a scaffold in the rotunda of the capitol for ex-
hibition. This design will be placed in the gable end of
the new west wing. The design is made by Karl Bitt-
ner, the noted New York sculptor. It represents the
farming, mining and industrial interests of Wisconsin.

The placing of the design upon exhibition has at-
tracted general attention and scores of visitors are com-
ing to the rotunda of the capitol to take a look at the de-
sign. One of the most interested visitors yesterday was
J. L. O’Connor.

It was related last night that two well known Irish
men were going through the rotunda of the building
when the scaffold was being erected. They got to dis-
cussing what the carpenters were doing.

“Sure they are building a scaffold,” remarked one.
“I suppose they are going to hang some game war-
den,” interposed the other, looking up the stairs toward
the senatorial investigating committee chamber. Mind-
ful that St. Patrick’s day was near, the first Irishman
started down the corridor singing the following para-
phrase of “The Wearin’ of the Green.”

“I met with Napper Tandy
And he took me by the hand
Saying ‘Pat, how is Wisconsin and how does she
stand.’
She’s the most disgraceful country that ever I’ve
seen,
They’re planning to hang game wardens
For the taking of the Green.”

LEAGUE MEETING EARLY NEXT MONTH

APRIL FIRST WILL SEE NEXT
GATHERING OF MAGNATES

OFFICIAL CONTRACTS HERE

Elliott Sends Out the Papers Which
Have All the Sanction of the
National Commission

President John Elliott has receiv-
ed contracts from Secretary Farrel
of the National Association of Base-
ball Leagues, and immediately sent
them to the various clubs in the
league in order that they might sign
up their players in the regular way.

The schedule maker, Charles Cusa-
man, of Milwaukee, is working upon
two schedules, one for 119 games
with 11 off days, and the other with
120 games with one off day. The
latter schedule is favored by Presi-
dent Elliott, but the clubs will de-
cide the matter themselves. The next
regular meeting of the league will
be held the first of April and the
work of launching the league for its
first season will be arranged.

Manager Blackburn of the Regina
team of the Western Canada league
is in the city at present. Mr. Black-
burn will have his players report
here April 15. The squad which will
number 25 will be here about a
week. He will try to meet all of the
teams in the M-W. league before the
season commences.

Manager Safford is busy getting
a line on the players and while there
is a large number to pick from he
does not expect much more than a
half dozen of the recruits will turn
out to be “finds.”

BOARD COMPETENT; COUNCIL MORE SO?

The fact that the council upheld
the board of public works as com-
petent by voting down the ordinance
that provided for its abolishment,
and then 15 minutes later approved
of the report of the committee that
turned down the recommendation of
the board and ordered that the
Crane valves be used for the new
water extension this summer, thus
turning down the body upon a small
recommendaion, is today taken as
an odd mixture of logic by friends
of the commissioners.

The decision is a victory for the
W. A. Roosevelt company in their
controversy with the board, and the
city officials who were interested in
the affair smile at the conflicting ac-
tions of the council. The estimate
for valves was \$382, which was the
bid of the Chapman Valve company
of Chicago, whose valves have been
used almost exclusively by the city.
The Crane valves of the Roosevelt
company cost \$326, but is not con-
sidered by the board to be of the
same standard as the Chapman valve.

“I suppose the committee investi-
gated the matter and considered the
Crane valve to be the best,” said
Commissioner Roberge this morning.
“We could do no more than let the
council pass upon the matter,” he
continued with a weary smile.

OMERBERG BRINGS WORLD’S WOODMEN

LANDS INTERNATIONAL CON-
VENTION SINGLE-HANDED

COMES HERE IN MARCH ’11

La Crosse Delegate Returns After a
Successful Fight for the Big
Meeting

Single-handed and alone, whereas
the representatives of the eighteen
other cities seeking the next con-
vention all had from six to a dozen
delegates, Louis B. Omerberg of this
city landed the international conven-
tion of the Woodmen of the World
for this city in March, 1911.

Mr. Omerberg, who represented
the La Crosse lodge of this order at
the international convention at Port
Huron, Michigan, returned from his
trip this morning. There were 655
delegates present at the session and
it is expected there will be as large
a representation when the conven-
tion meets here two years hence.

Mr. Omerberg visited Detroit, To-
ledo, Chicago and other cities before
returning home. The convention
lasted three days.

M. C. RING, LOBBUS, IS ON GRILL TODAY

MADISON, Wis., March 13.—State
Game Warden Stone was still too
“ill” today to appear before the sen-
atorial investigation committee of
the legislature and the time was
consumed in examining Attorney John
C. Miller, of Madison, and Attorney
M. C. Ring, of Neillsville, regarding
\$7,000 distributed by them for Uni-
ted States Senator Stephenson. Miller
used most of the money received by
him for personal expenses. Ring
paid \$5,000 to different field workers
and to editors of Clark and adjoining
counties. The investigation will be
resumed next Monday afternoon.

The Gaylord resolution asking the
governor to demand the resignations
of all state employees who received
money from any candidate for of-
fice at the last primary and general
elections was laid over in the sen-
ate until March 24.

GIRL IN FIT AS LAWYER GRILLS HER

HAMILTON, Ont., March 13.—For
the third time the session of the
Kinrade murder inquest ended early
today in another dramatic collapse
of the chief witness, Florence Kin-
rade, only eye witness to the shoot-
ing of her sister, Ethel, and who has
told with variations that the mur-
derer was a tramp, was recalled. Af-
ter grilling the girl for an hour Geo.
T. Blackstock said:

“Florence, were you alone in your
parents’ house with your sister Ethel
when she was shot?”

The girl threw back her head, ap-
parently in a faint, and would have
sunk to the floor had not her fian-
cée, a nurse, and her mother carried
her out. As they did so, amidst the
excitement in the court room, she
hysterically cried out that a man was
threatening her with a revolver—
just as she has said the murderer of
her sister did.

BLACK HAND GETS DARING DETECTIVE

ASSASSINATE PETROSINO IN PA-
Lermo TODAY

NEW YORK CHIEF FALLS

SOUGHT TO GET “THE GOODS”
ON MURDER SOCIETY

SECURED DESIRED PAPERS

Is Shot Down to Get Them but This
Fails—International War on
Black Hand to Follow

ROME, March 13.—Joseph Petro-
sino, chief of the Italian detectives
of New York city, was shot dead
today in Marena square, Palermo, by
agents of the Black Hand society,
according to messages just received
from Palermo.

Petrosino, the dispatch said, had
been sent to Italy by the police de-
partment to gather evidence against
the leaders of the Black Hand who
are believed to have their headquar-
ters in Italy and to conduct their
operations throughout the world
from a central office.

Petrosino was suddenly attacked
by the black handers as he was walk-
ing on the street. They opened fire
on him but before he fell he drew
his own revolver and engaged in a
duel with his assailants. It is be-
lieved that he shot one of the men.
Four members of his revolver were
empty.

Couldn’t Get Papers.
The police at Palermo say there
is no doubt that Petrosino was mur-
dered for certain papers that he had
in his possession, correspondence be-
tween the Black Hand headquarters
and its agents in New York.

In this, however, the murderer
was defeated as a crowd gathered
so quickly after the shooting that
there was no time to search Petro-
sino’s pockets, which were filled
with documents relating to the in-
ternational operations of the Black
Hand.

Petrosino was well known in Pa-
lermo and all over Italy and his mur-
der has aroused a storm of bitter
feeling. The entire police depart-
ment of Palermo is at work on the
case and a dragnet will be spread all
over Italy.

Proves the Case.
NEW YORK, March 13.—Dis-
patches from Palermo, Sicily, stating
that Lieut. Jos. Petrosino, head of
the Italian detective force of this
city, has been shot and killed there,
are declared by the New York police
today to prove absolutely their con-
tention that the ramifications of the
so-called Black Hand in every sec-
tion of the country are directed from
a “central body” in Palermo, and
that most of the tribute exacted here
goes to the Sicilian bandits who
have plied their trade there for cen-
turies.

Only Three Knew.
Petrosino’s murder shows how
good an organization the Black
Handers have. Only three people
in the United States knew just where
he was in Italy, his wife, Commis-
sioner Bingham and Deputy Commis-
sioner Woods. Bingham had fur-
nished him the funds to make the
trip from a secret fund subscribed to
by leading financiers, who are said
to include Andrew Carnegie, W. K.
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WEATHER FORECAST



Coldest in La Crosse, 26; warmest,
34; wind 4 miles; precipitation, .04
inch.
Coldest in U. S.—4 above at Hel-
ena; warmest, 80 at New Orleans.
Forecasts today:
Wisconsin—Snow flurries and
colder tonight; Sunday fair and cold-
er.
Minnesota—Partly cloudy and
colder tonight, with snow flurries
northeast portion; Sunday fair.
Iowa—Fair tonight and Sunday;
colder tonight.

Fortune Telling

Does not take into consideration the one essential to woman's happiness—womanly health.

The woman who neglects her health is neglecting the very foundation of all good fortune. For without health love loses its lustre and gold is but dross.

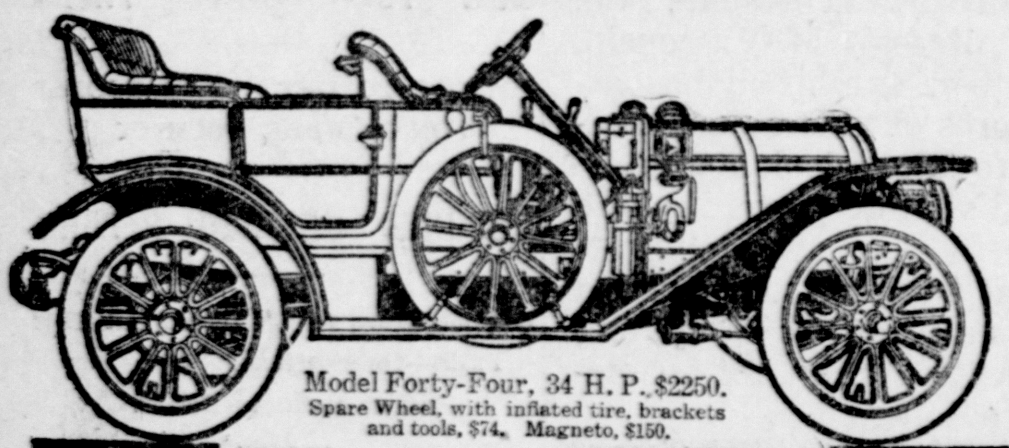
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Model Forty-Four, 34 H. P., \$2250.
Spare Wheel, with inflated tire, brackets and tools, \$74. Magneto, \$190.

Flexibility of Power

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La Crosse, Wis.

JOHNSON LIABLE TO BE PROSECUTED

GALVESTON, Texas, March 13.—If Champion Jack Johnson brings his white wife to Galveston he will be prosecuted under the Texas laws forbidding whites and blacks marrying. The reports that Johnson has a negro wife living here brought a reply from Johnson saying he was legally divorced from her and he would bring his white wife with him. Johnson bases the defiance of prosecution on the grounds that his marriage to a white woman did not take place in Texas. The federal supreme court has ruled that the state has a right to prevent the union of whites and blacks and impose penalties even if they were married in a state permitting marriages of whites and blacks.

PRESENTS HARVARD WITH A NEW SHELL

BOSTON, Mass., March 13.—Mrs. Robert Bacon, wife of the former secretary of state, has presented the Harvard university with an eight-oared shell as an expression of her interest in the success of Harvard rowing, with which her three sons have been closely identified. The order for the new boat is on its way to Sims, the English boat builder. The understanding is that the boat shall be delivered in this country by the middle of May, which would be in time for its use in the Harvard-Cornell race at Ithaca, on May 21, should it be so desired.

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KELLY AND PAPKE WILL MEET SOON

CHICAGO, March 13.—Hugo Kelly's manager announced today that a bout between Kelly and Billy Papke at Tom McCarey's Athletic club in San Francisco had practically been arranged. McCarey wired Kelly yesterday that Papke had signed articles and asked the Italian to do the same. Kelly made his acceptance conditional on the outcome of his negotiations with Stanley Ketchel.

WILL TRY FOR RECORD

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March 13.—Captain Dull of the Michigan university track team will try for the indoor record for a mile at tonight's varsity meet, attempting to beat Coe's record of 5:24 4-5.

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BOWLERS MAY MEET FOR BIG SIDE BET

CLEVELAND, O., March 13.—Billy Griffiths, who backed Louis Franz, the champion of Cleveland in his losing match with Jimmy Smith, the Brooklyn wonder, today issued a challenge to the bowlers of the world, offering to back Franz and Smith against any two bowlers for \$1,000 a side on the tournament alleys at Pittsburgh. The challenge is especially directed toward the Schwoegler brothers of Madison, Wis., who yesterday broke the world's record by rolling 1,304.

The second half of the Franz-Smith match was rolled here last night and the Brooklyn man finished 567 pins ahead in 39 games. He was 634 ahead at the end of the first fifteen games rolled in New York on Feb. 22. The match was for a purse of \$2,150, the largest amount of money ever rolled for in this country.

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ROSSMAN DESERTS RANK OF HOLDOUTS

DETROIT, Mich., March 13.—Claude Rossman, the Tiger's first baseman, left for the team's spring camp at San Antonio, Texas, today, following his desertion from the ranks of the "hold outs" yesterday, by signing his 1909 contract with President Navin. The latter says Rossman signed the same contract first offered him and Rossman says he's perfectly satisfied.

ITALIAN SIGNS TO MEET ANDERSON

CHICAGO, March 13.—Articles were signed last night for a ten-round match between Tony Capony, the Italian middleweight, and Carl Anderson, of Hammond, Ind. The men will meet before the Hammond Athletic club, March 24, the weight being settled at 158 pounds at 3 o'clock.

MAHMOUT FAILS TO KEEP AGREEMENT

CHICAGO, March 13.—After struggling for nearly twenty minutes Yussuff Mahmout, the Turkish wrestler, secured one fall in his match with Leo Pardello last night. The Turk agreed to throw Pardello twice within thirty minutes, but he secured only one fall, in 19:15. He pinned the Italian to the mat with a scissors and wrist lock.

KAUFMAN MATCHED TO MEET FERGUSON

NEW YORK, March 13.—Big Al Kaufman, unable to force Jim Jeffries into a fight, has been matched to meet Sandy Ferguson at Boston on April 6 for twelve rounds.

Sports of all Sorts



INDIANAPOLIS MAN IS NEW PRESIDENT

POSTMASTER BOB BRYSON IS HERRMANN'S SUCCESSOR

L. SUTTON TIES HIGH SCORE

Rochester Man Rolls 691 After Falling Down on Last Frame of a Magnificent Game

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 13.—Today is St. Louis day at the American Bowling congress, the doubles started this morning and teams are entered from St. Louis, Akron, Muskegon, Chicago, Kansas City, Philadelphia, Brooklyn and Columbus. The first international events of the tournament are scheduled when five teams from Hamilton, Ont., will take possession of the alleys and roll in the two-man events. These teams are said to be composed of the very best ten pin artists that Canada has produced and their work will be watched with much interest.

The St. Louis contingent is predicting when ten five-men teams from the Mound City will take possession of the alleys. They contend that their bowlers are in magnificent shape and declare that the record of the Chicago record of the Chicago Lipmans will likely be surpassed. The St. Louis representatives, however, will not have things all to themselves tonight, as crack teams are entered from Belleville, Ill., Cleveland, Montreal and New Kensington, Pa.

Bryson Popular

Much satisfaction is being expressed by the delegates today at the election of "Bob" Bryson, the popular postmaster of Indianapolis, Ind., as president of the congress. Bryson succeeds August Herrmann of Cincinnati, who refused to serve another term. A motion offered late yesterday by Col. J. H. Haeger, chief of police of Louisville, to vote \$100 to purchase a fitting testimonial for the retiring president was unanimously adopted.

The bowling yesterday was sensational, in addition to the new world's record set up by the Schwoegler brothers of Madison, Wis., Larry Sutton, a Rochester boy, equalled the tournament record in the singles. His record is 236, 212, 213, and he made only eight on his last frame when nine would have beaten the record.

Tonight two more women teams will roll, a pair of what are considered the best in the country, taking the alleys. They are the Marquettes of St. Louis, who won the world's women's title at Cincinnati last year, being captained by Miss Birdie Kern, and the Chicago five, led by Mrs. Gertrude Hull, individual woman champion of the world.

The leaders in the several events follow:

Two-man events:

Schwoegler-Schwoegler, Madison, Wis., 1304

Eich-Novak, Toledo 1201

Mohling-Kochel, Columbus 1198

Seibach-Collins, Columbus 1192

Seimer-Garden, Cincinnati 1190

Five-man events:

Lipman, Chicago 2962

Melrose, Chicago 2836

B. M. No. 1, Chicago 2827

Howard Majors, Chicago 2821

Klondike, Toledo 2796

Individual events:

F. Brueggeman, Sioux City 681

L. Sutton, Rochester 681

E. Peterson, Chicago 672

Henry Hoyer, Sioux City 663

Fred Ebert, Milwaukee 660

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MEDWETZKY TO FILL KONETCHY'S PLACE

EDDIE MAY BE SWITCHED TO FILL VACANCY AT SHORT

"MED" RAPIDLY MAKING GOOD

Former La Crosse Outfielder May Fill First Baseman's Shoes—Konetchy Shows Up at Shortstop

Reports from the training camp of the St. Louis Cardinals at Little Rock, Ark. name Konetchy as a possible shortstop for the team. Manager Bresnahan is greatly worried over that position and if Reilly, the recruit of the Cotton States league, fails to come up to the expectations of the former Giant, Konetchy may be switched from the initial sack to short, and Medwetzky, former outfielder of the La Crosse team may be placed at first.

Konetchy has shown such ability at first base that the fans are prone to criticize the change, but Manager Bresnahan believes that the former La Crosse player will be of even greater value at shortstop than at first base, as he has no man for short, and either Medwetzky or Evans could easily hold down first to his satisfaction.

The following story comes from the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, dated March 11, and tells how the La Crosse players came to be with the Cardinals:

"One of those who is interested in the success of both Konetchy and Medwetzky of the Cardinals and who was interested in getting them into higher company is Jack Kingston, who is playing at the Standard this week, and he gives some interesting sidelights on how these two players landed with the Cardinals. Kingston first saw Konetchy when he was playing with the La Crosse team of the Wisconsin State league, and he took a fancy to him then. He is a friend of George Lennon of the St. Paul club, and asked Lennon to buy Konetchy's release. Lennon went far enough to ask what price the La Crosse owners wanted and the latter asked \$1,000, with Medwetzky thrown in. Lennon asked Kingston what he knew of Medwetzky, but the latter had only seen the chap, who is now with the Cardinals, in one game. Then he put the ball out of the lot and won an extra-inning game, but this was hardly enough to give a line on him, and he told Lennon he did not know how good he was. Lennon refused to pay the price and waited around until McCloskey had grabbed Konetchy. Then he put in a claim to the National commission that he had first claim on Konetchy, but got turned down. Medwetzky went to Chicago and then landed with the Cardinals this season, so that he is again on the same team with Konetchy. Kingston thinks he has a good change to make good, as he is much on the same order of a player as Konetchy."

The Lurid Glow of Doom

was seen in the red face, hands and body of the little son of H. M. Adams, of Henrietta, Pa. His awful plight from eczema had for five years, defied all remedies and baffled the best doctors, who said the poisoned blood had affected his lungs and nothing could save him. "But," writes his mother, "seven bottles of Electric Bitters completely cured him." For Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Sores and all Blood Disorders and Rheumatism Electric Bitters is supreme. Only 50c. Guaranteed by O. T. Erhart.

FRENCH TEAM IS INCREASING LEAD

MADISON SQUARE GARDEN, NEW YORK, March 13.—With a lead of 21 miles over their nearest competitors and no likelihood of their losing this advantage, barring accidents, the French team, Cibot and Orphee, will win the six-day go-as-you-please race which terminates at 10 o'clock tonight.

8 a. m. score: Cibot and Orphee, 681.7; Davis and Metkus, 660.6; Dineen and Prouty, 639.2; Loeslein and Klumbertanz, 627.1; Shelton and Frazer, 614.1; Corey and Hegelman, 605.2; Feegan and Curtis, 590.3; Guignard and Rovere, 564.5; Navez and Kellar, 537.6; Edelson and Pallanti, 492.8; Hartley (alone), 391.4.

TOLAND TEAM TO PLAY HIGH SCHOOL

For the second time this season the La Crosse high school basketball team will this evening meet the aggregation representing Toland's Business College. In the last game the high school five was victorious by one point, and as both teams have improved considerably since the previous match a great deal of interest centers in the game this evening. The game will be played preliminary to the game between the Y. M. C. A. and Rochester teams at Armory hall.

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3—Wed 7,462	17—Wed 7,411
4—Thurs 7,447	18—Thurs 7,417
5—Fri 7,449	19—Fri 7,412
6—Sat 7,431	20—Sat 7,398
7—Sunday 7,429	21—Sunday 7,397
8—Tues 7,437	22—Tues 7,397
9—Wed 7,427	23—Wed 7,366
10—Thurs 7,422	24—Thurs 7,361
11—Fri 7,420	25—Fri 7,350
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Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-seventh day of February, 1909.

A. E. BLEEKMAN,
 Notary Public.

SHOWING MCCONNELL UP

In the headlines of its story from Madison yesterday about George Gordon's testimony relative to the manner in which he expended \$1,800 of the Stephenson campaign fund, the Leader-Press says:

"MC CONNELL DECEIVED VOTERS
 Led them to Understand He Would Abide by Primary."

Running down the column of reading matter to the paragraph discussing the subject we find the following account of the "deception":

Mr. Bray asked Mr. Gordon if Mr. McConnell had promised to abide by the result of the senatorial primary and witness thought he had.

That is all. There is no other basis for the flaring headlines than that Mr. Gordon swore he "thought" Mr. McConnell had made some promises.

However, there is another basis to the story. It is that L. B. Cox, of Onalaska, who "handled" \$180 of the Stephenson wad, had been reported as having said both Morris and McConnell had made this promise. Interviewed by The Tribune, Mr. Cox said it was not true as to McConnell, and he wanted nothing said about the Morris end of it. That was when the "probe" was just looming up as a possibility, and doubtless Mr. Cox was a wise man.

But take the next paragraph of the Gelatt paper's story:

Mr. Gordon said that if J. E. McConnell had not agreed in the campaign to abide by the decision of the senatorial primary, he could not have been elected assemblyman.

Search the peach orchard for one to beat this! Admittedly holder of a fund to defeat McConnell and elect Mulder, Mr. Gordon says only a promise which he "thought" McConnell made saved the assemblyman from defeat. Are we to presume, then, that because of this promise which he "thought" McConnell made, Mr. Gordon permitted McConnell to be elected? Did he throw Mulder down?

The fact is that Mr. Gordon, and every man who contributed to his private Mulder fund, and every man who participated in or helped to "handle" his Stephenson fund, did his everlasting best to defeat Mr. McConnell. Conversely, every man who voted for McConnell approves of his

refusal to vote for a man for senator pending that man's trial or charges of fraud duly made before the state legislature.

One more gem. The Gelatt paper further says:

He also testified that it was reported that Mr. McConnell had something to do with the distribution of the Hatton money in La Crosse.

The Hatton swag in La Crosse county, it will be remembered, was \$25. We do not know who got it, nor do we care. We are prepared to gamble that it was accounted for, and that the man who spent it would not find his memory a blank, as Mr. Gordon did as to \$1,200 of his \$1,800, the evidence showing that his only recollection of the disposal of the major portion was that Mulder Van Auker, Lang, Larson, Anderson and Perkins got some of it.

The fact of the matter is that, so far as showing the actual disposition of the bulk of the money, the testimony Mr. Gordon so "freely" gave was that he had no definite recollection concerning it.

A TRAINED MIND.

From the official record of the examination of Attorney George Gordon before the senatorial investigating committee:

Senator Husting asked: "Could you say whether Mr. Van Auker received more than \$500, or less than \$500?"

"I could not say anything about it."

"Could you say whether Mr. Perkins got more than \$500 or less than \$500?"

"I could not say how much Mr. Perkins got."

"Could you say within \$500 of how much Mr. Lang got?"

"I could not say what Mr. Lang got."

"Could you say within \$500 of how much Mr. Anderson got?"

"I could not say what Mr. Anderson got."

Wonder if George Gordon can remember the Maine.

Assemblyman Bray, a presumably "dependable" member of the investigating committee of the legislature, must have knocked the breath out of the Edmonds outfit when he arose in the assembly yesterday and in pleading for an extension of the time of the hearing, said that the probe had resulted in a great moral awakening in Wisconsin.

Solon Perrin frankly admits that he kept \$400 of the \$5,000 entrusted to him by Stephenson, as compensation for his services. This is a refreshing contract.

A republican jury in the republican Franklin club votes unanimously for the retention of Dr. Anderson in office. So it is wherever men of intelligence gather.

It will be remembered that Mr. Gelatt has been a warm advocate of the recall law. Was that a law compelling witnesses to recall embarrassing facts?

Funny what a world of condemnation Mr. Gelatt can throw into the scalding accusation that somebody spent \$25 of Hatton's money to carry La Crosse county.

IMPORTANT COURT DECISIONS

PROBABLE CAUSE FOR ARREST.—Plaintiff in the case of Cragan, De Pape, 159 Federal Reporter, 691, was employed by defendant as cook. Leaving her kitchen for a few minutes the door was locked by another servant, following defendant's order to close up at 6 o'clock. When plaintiff ascertained this she was so deeply angered that she assaulted the door with such vigor and violence that the panel was shattered. Defendant inquired about these occurrences, consulted an attorney, and had plaintiff arrested on a criminal charge of destroying property. She was imprisoned a few hours, tried and discharged. Thereupon she instituted a suit against defendant for damages, alleging the malicious institution of a criminal proceeding against without probable cause. The circuit court of appeals, however, held that the facts established probable cause for plaintiff's arrest as a matter of law.

Jumping at Conclusions

Two small boys had strayed in the mummy room of a certain museum. "Wot's these?" said one.

"Them's guys wot's bin dead a long time," answered the other.

"And wot's them letters, B. C. 14, over the guy in the corner?"

"Guess that's the number of the automobile wot run over the poor bloke."—Bohemian Magazine.

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Miss Malissa Jolley, Parmele, N. C., writes: "I have been taking your Peruna, and can say that I am well of the catarrh."

"I thank you for your kindness and your advice."

ANSWERS REV. SHUTE.

To the Editor:

Your good paper, containing a report of the Rev. A. Lincoln Shute's sermon, has just come to my notice, and as he has referred to the people of our faith in uncompromising terms, I crave your indulgence for a few words on the subject of this horrible, powerful, personal devil which he preaches. No doubt, it must have taken many of your older readers back to their boyhood days, when the good (?) old doctrine of hell-fire and brimstone was so often dwelt on at length and the suffering of the damned pictured with such minuteness and in such lurid terms.

The Scriptures teach that "God is Spirit"; that "All things were made by Him; and without Him was not anything made that was made." The first chapter of Genesis sets forth in detail His creation and concludes with this declaration: "And God saw everything that He had made and behold it was very good." There is no account of the creation of a personal devil here nor anywhere else in the good book. Such a personal devil as the Rev. Shute describes must have dimensions. Will he tell us what the length, breadth and thickness of this evil one is? Also, did Jesus cast out seven persons or seven evil beliefs out of Mary Magdalene?

Abaddon and Apollyon, on which our critic lays such stress on to prove the personality of the devil, are Hebrew and Greek words respectively, meaning "destroyer." Elsewhere the Bible speaks of this foe of mankind as "the adversary," "a fowler," "a dog," "a wolf," "an adder," also as "accuser; deceiver; liar; murderer; leucists; lightning." But the best authority of all, Christ Jesus, defines the devil as follows: "Ye are of your father the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do. He was a murderer from the beginning, and abode not in the truth, because there is no truth in him. When his speaketh a lie, he speaketh of his own; for he is a liar and the father of it." (John 8:44.) Now, I contend that this all indicates the impersonal nature of evil; for a lie immediately becomes nothing when its true nature is known.

Christian Scientists realize the necessity of grappling with and overcoming this sense of evil, manifested in malice, hate, deception, fear, appetites, passions, etc. The denial of the reality, personality and power of the devil begins at once to sap the strength of evil desires, wicked inclinations and unholy ambitions; and thousands upon thousands of honest, earnest, intelligent men and women bear insistent testimony of release from bondage of sickness, fear, disease and sin, which their former beliefs about a personal devil engendered and nurtured. After all, dear reader, isn't this the best proof anyone can offer in behalf of the soundness of his doctrine? Will Brother Shute tell us "for which of these good works doth he stone us?" Why, dear brother, do you refer to Christian Scientists as "Eddies?" The term is neither proper, polite nor kind.

Yours sincerely,

JAMES PHELPS.

C. S. Committee on Publication for Wisconsin.

One Requisite.

Colonel—What do army regulations make the first requisite in order that a man may be buried with military honors?

Private Macshorty—Death, yer honor!—Illustrated News.

IN THE NATION'S CAPITOL

(By John J. Hannan.)

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13.—The position of President Taft in regard to the speakership and in opposition to revision of the rules of the house of representatives at the present time, so far as can be learned, has not resulted in a single break in the ranks of the insurgent members. It is certain that not one of the Wisconsin members in the ranks of the insurgents has wavered in the least and they are all lined up solidly against the present house rules.

There are thirty-four members of the new congress, republicans, who are pledged to act with the democrats in an effort to secure revision of the rules. "Uncle Joe" and his band of hopefuls look rather discouraged, not because they feel that Cannon may not be elected speaker, but they realize the danger of the proposition to strip the speaker of his power, carrying through the house. There would be little honor and it certainly would be uncomfortable for "Uncle Joe" to be speaker and to have the committees of the house named by the committee on rules and order of business. Yet that will probably be the outcome. There are some of the members of the insurgents who take the position that with the rules properly amended it matters little who is speaker, and the democrats do not insist that all of the insurgents shall hold out for all time against the election of Cannon. They ask that on Monday next the votes of all the insurgents be not given to Cannon. They do not ask that they be given to democrats or to a democrat. All that they ask is that the elections be held up. In return they promise to deliver the solid democratic vote for the revision of the rules.

The fight will come upon the motion that is usually made by John Dalzell providing for the adoption by the sixty-first congress of the rules of the sixtieth congress and asking that the previous question be ordered upon that motion.

Every vote cast for the previous question will be a vote cast for Cannon and Cannonism and every vote against the previous question will be a vote against Cannonism. The insurgents claim that they can vote down that motion and they will offer a substitute providing that the rules shall be amended. The most important amendment to be offered is that the committees of the house shall be named by a committee of fifteen on rules and order of procedure. This committee is to be composed of nine republicans and six democrats and the resolution will be debated for several days. The insurgents realize that it embodies one of the most important innovations in the history of our government. They have no desire to curtail discussion. They are confident of their strength. They know that discussion will make them still stronger. They want the matter thoroughly aired before the people.

The reactionaries are bringing every pressure to bear to whip the insurgents into line. Every insurgent realizes that he is jeopardizing whatever chance he may have for committee appointment. Senators are being pressed into service and are reasoning with their members to hold them in line for Cannon. Senator Stephenson has been using his persuasive powers upon some of the Wisconsin members in the interest of Cannon. The senate organization has caused information to be conveyed to the reactionaries that every local bill in which they are interested will be killed in the senate if they defeat Cannon and carry through the program for the revision of the rules. Persuasion and threats have thus far been unavailable. One of the humors of the situation is the reception which Jim Watson, Mr. Cannon's personal representative, has received from many of the insurgents. He interviewed Representative Kopp and endeavored to get him in line for Cannon. As Mr. Watson reported it to "Uncle Joe," this is about what took place: Mr. Kopp said that in the stump he had promised the people of his district that he would vote against Speaker Cannon, not only in the republican caucus, but on the floor. He then turned and asked "What would you do?" and Mr. Watson said that he advised Mr. Kopp to remain out of the caucus.

Just think of "Uncle Joe's" lieutenants advising republicans to stay out of the republican caucus.

Year after year an old farmer had listened in grim silence to the train thundering by his land. Finally, one day, his patience at an end, he dropped his plow and shok his fist at the passing express.

"Ye can puff and blow all ye like, gol darn ye," he cried, "but I'm going to ride ye Saturday!"—Everybody's Magazine.

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Harbinger

The pitcher now begs to announce He has a bran' new curve On which no batter chap can pounce. And make it fenceward swerve, It has a kind of corkscrew turn That must preclude a swipe— From which announcement we may learn The season's almost ripe. —Indianapolis News.

A Way Out of It

A company of select colored artists were rendering a version of "Othello." The scene between the Moor and Desdemona had been reached wherein Othello demands the handkerchief which he has given his wife as a wedding memento. The actor who had been intrusted with the title role confessed vociferousness with impressiveness.

"Desdemona!" he cried, "fetch me dat han'kerchief."

But the doomed lady only babbled of Cassio and her liege shouted again: "I ask you fo' de second time to git me dat han'kerchief!"

Still the fair one parried the issue with talk of Cassio, and the lordly Othello, now thoroughly incensed, bellowed:

"Woman, fo' d third and las' time I tell you to git me dat han'kerchief! Away!"

And as he was just about to open his mouth a big, leather-lunged patron in the top gallery shouted down at him:

"Fo' de Lawd's sake, nigger, why doan yo' wipe yo' nose on vo' sleeve an' let de show go on?"—Tit-Bits.

A Considerate Captain.

At Portsmouth, N. H., where they were to unveil a statue to the memory of T. B. Aldrich, during an author's argument on international copyright, Thomas Nelson Page broke up a rather acrimonious discussion by deftly interposing a story.

"After all," he said, "there is not much real help in that idea. It is such an idea as emanated from the mind of a hard, cruel sea captain."

"In midocean the cook approached the captain timidly.

"'Captain,' he said, 'the men are growling about the beef. They say they can't chew it now. They say it's only fit to mend their sea boots with.'"

"'How much beef are you giving 'em, cookie?'" the captain asked.

"'A pound apiece a day, sir,'" said the cook.

"'Well,' said the captain gently, 'give them half a pound apiece from now on. I should be sorry to force 'em to eat what isn't to their taste.'"

—Rochester Herald.

At the Cafe "Des Enfants."

The entire table had been watching him with intense disgust for some minutes. Those nearest him had moved to seats as far removed as possible, but the hungry one was unconscious of the attention he was attracting by his method of attacking the food.

After finishing his soup literally to the last drop the man attacked a bone in the simplest possible fashion. The last display was too much for the man opposite him. With the moral support of the entire table he leaned forward and suggested:

"Don't you think you would be comfortable if you took that out on the mat?"—New York Herald.

Force of Habit

A certain western congressman's boundless affability, and habitual absent-mindedness have occasionally led him into absurd mistakes. One day during his last campaign, as he stepped from the train at the station of his home town after a month of stumping and "glad handing," his little daughter rushed up to him and kissed him. The congressman beamed upon her with a proud and tender parental eye.

"Well, well," he exclaimed mechanically. "And how is your dear old father?"—Bohemian Magazine.

His Share.

"So you contemplate entering into a life partnership with Miss Bull-ton?" the old man said, smiling fondly upon his son. "Of course you



Arthur Beauvais, Teresa Maridor and Geo. M. Laing, in "The Wildflower," With Beauvais-Maridor & Co., at the Bijou Next Week.

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LAD IN BAD WAY AFTER OPERATION

John Kessler, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kessler of 426 Summer street, who is at the St. Francis hospital, was operated on for appendicitis a second time yesterday morning by Drs. Evans and Dvorak. His condition is critical and he is not expected to recover.

A. LARSON SELLS OUT MILK ROUTE

Mr. A. Larson, a milk dealer at 2133 Market street, has sold his property and business to Mr. Kittelson, a farmer residing south of Hungry Point, for a consideration of \$1,200. Mr. Larson will move his family to Coon Valley, where he has purchased a farm.

Near Death in Big Pond

It was a thrilling experience to Mrs. Ida Soper to face death. "For years a severe lung trouble gave me intense suffering," she writes, "and several times nearly caused my death. All remedies failed and doctors said I was incurable. Then Dr. King's New Discovery brought quick relief and a cure so permanent that I have not been troubled in twelve years." Mrs. Soper lives in Big Pond, Pa. It works wonders in Coughs and Colds, Sore Lungs, Hemorrhages, La Grippe, Asthma, Croup, Whooping Cough and all Bronchial affections. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by O. T. Erhart.

Once in a while a young man manages to tame his wild oats.

Report of the Financial Condition of the—

Batavian National Bank

Located at La Crosse, State of Wisconsin, at the close of business on the 5th day of Feb., 1909

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts	\$2,227,966.14
Overdrafts	125.68
U. S. Bonds	400,000.00
Other bonds	216,326.16
Banking house and fixtures	55,000.00
5 per cent redemption fund	20,000.00
Cash	211,529.63
Due from banks	429,098.96
	\$3,560,037.57

LIABILITIES

Capital stock	\$400,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Undivided profits	16,627.05
National bank notes outstanding	386,000.00
Deposits	2,662,577.89
Certified checks	732.70
Dividends unpaid	100.00
	\$3,560,037.57

THE COMPLETE NEWS OF THE NORTH SIDE TODAY

Five Years

of Heart Trouble Cured by Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy

"Before I began taking Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy I had been suffering from heart trouble for over five years. I had pains in my left side, and under my shoulder blade, could not sleep on the left side, and was so short of breath the least exertion would bring on the most distressing palpitation. I had scarcely taken a half bottle of the Heart Remedy before I could see a marked change in my condition. When I had taken six bottles I was cured."

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If there is fluttering or palpitation it is an indication of a weakness of the nerves and muscles of the heart. It is not necessarily diseased—just weak from over-work. The heart may be weak just the same as the eyes, stomach or other organs. You can make a weak heart strong by taking Dr. Miles' Heart Remedy. Get a bottle from your druggist, take it according to directions, and if it does not benefit he will return your money.

IN THE CHURCHES

Trinity Lutheran.
Trinity United Lutheran church, on Avon street. Rev. T. T. Hooverstad, pastor. Services Sunday morning at 10:30. English service at the evening at 7:30. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

St. Peter's Episcopal Church.
Rev. C. N. Moller, rector. Services Sunday afternoon at 3.

Norwegian Methodist.
Norwegian Methodist church, corner Berlin and 11th streets. Rev. Eliot Hansen, pastor. Morning service, 10:30. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Evening service at 7:30.

Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church.
Bethel Norwegian Lutheran church, corner Sill and George. O. L. Christenson, pastor. Services at 10:30 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening. Ladies' Aid society Wednesday afternoon.

Scandinavian Baptist.
Scandinavian Baptist church, corner Charles and Logan streets. Rev. Iver Larson, pastor. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Ed Pores, superintendent. B. Y. P. U., 6:30 p. m. Evening service, 7:30.

Caledonia Street M. E.
Rev. A. V. Ingham, pastor. Second Sunday in Lent. Morning worship at 10:30. "The Source of Life." Anthem, "O, That I Had Wings Like a Dove." Fearis. Evening worship 7:30. "Conditions of the Christ Life." The choros choir will sing at the evening service. The Bible study class, Tuesday, 7:45 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday, 7:30. Ladies' Aid at the church, Friday afternoon.

German Evangelical Lutheran.
Emanuel German Evangelical Lutheran church, corner of Avon and St. Paul streets. Rev. C. M. Thunrow,

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PLEDGED HIMSELF TO DYING MOTHER

WHY WM. RYCKMAN CARED FOR NORA BUTTERFIELD

NOTHING TO HOLD HIM NOW

Says He Has Sold His Goods and Will Probably Go West After Seeing to Child's Future

Pledging himself at the bedside of his dying wife, and mother of little Nora Butterfield, that he would care for the child and always look after her as well as he could, Mr. William Ryckman of the North side feels that certain county officials have not done him justice to spread reports that he did not do the best he could for the little girl.

The 13 year old child had been ill and while Mr. Ryckman was out making arrangements to have her taken to the La Crosse hospital, he says, neighbors communicated with the humane officer and another ambulance called and the little one was taken by the county authorities to a hospital. She was 13 years old Jan. 13, and is so sickly that Ryckman says she could not last long without proper care.

Ryckman was married to her mother and five or six years ago when his wife died, she called both of them to her bedside, he says, and asked that he promise to always look out for her little girl as best he could, and keep her near him to see no harm came to her. This, Ryckman says, he promised, and he has since tried to do so. His success, he says, may be judged by a higher tribunal than is found in the La Crosse county court house. He says he will go to the Sparta school before departing for the west, and see that the child has proper arrangements made for its future. He will try to have the girl given back to him, so he may take care of her, but does not expect that he can do this, so will make arrangements as best he can, he says, for her education and welfare.

pastor. Regular services at 8 p. m. Sunday school at 9 a. m.

North Presbyterian.
Corner Logan and Avon streets. Rev. A. A. Randall, pastor. Sermon at 10:30 a. m. Evening service 7:45.

Norwegian Lutheran.
Corner Charles and Sill streets. Rev. E. O. Vik, pastor. Services Sunday evening at 7:30.

Tabernacle Baptist.
The Tabernacle Baptist church, Clinton and Avon streets. Rev. Fogg, pastor. Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Second German Methodist.
Second German Methodist church, corner Berlin and Clinton streets. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Services at 10:30 a. m.

A man admires two kinds of women: Girls from sixteen to twenty-eight, and women like his mother.

WE HAD BAD WEATHER THIS WEEK
BUT NEVERTHELESS WE HAD A

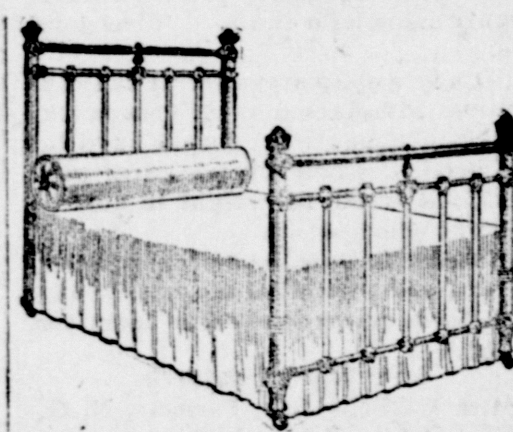
ROUSING BIG SALE

Had the weather been better the Sale would have been much greater, so to give those who could not come in this week a chance at the Bed Bargains, we're going to run this Sale through next week.

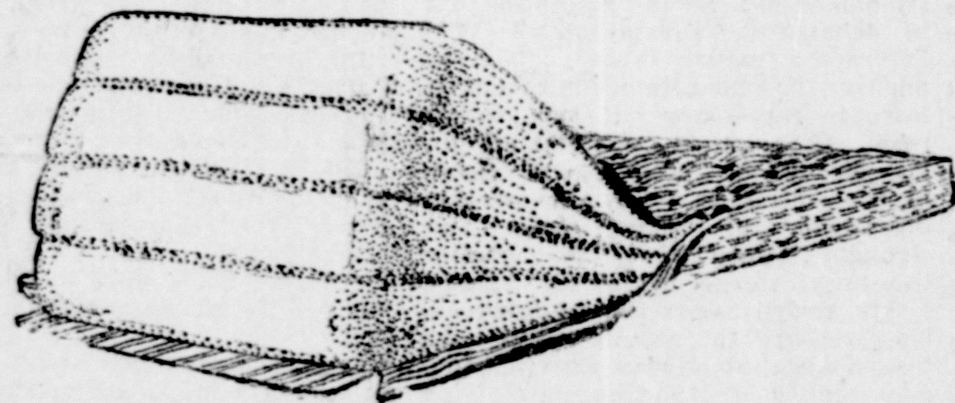
HERE ARE A FEW OF THE PRICES SELECTED AT RANDOM

THE WHOLE LINE IS REDUCED IN PROPORTION

\$45.00 Brass bed, 2 in. post. Sale price	\$34.75
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\$35.00 Brass bed, 2 in. post. Sale price	\$27.50
\$25.00 Brass bed, 2 in. post. Sale price	\$18.50
\$20.00 Vernis Martin bed, 2 in. post. Sale price	\$15.50
\$18.00 Vernis Martin bed, 2 in. post. Sale price	\$14.50
\$16.00 Vernis Martin bed, 1 in. post. Sale price	\$12.50
\$18.00 1 1-2 in. posts, cream colored	\$10.50
\$14.00 1 1-2 in. posts, green and white. Sale price	\$10.50
\$12.00 Iron beds. Sale price	\$9.50
\$10.00 Iron beds. Sale price	\$8.50
\$9.00 Iron beds. Sale price	\$7.50



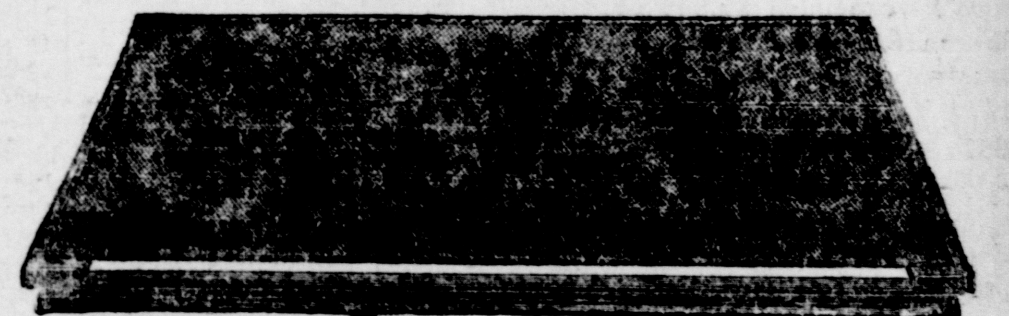
\$15.00 Vernis Martin bed, 1 1-2 in. post. Sale price	\$11.50
\$10.00 Vernis Martin bed, 1 in. post. Sale price	\$7.50
\$8.00 Vernis Martin bed, 1 in. post. Sale price	\$6.00
\$25.00 Black iron frame filled with brass tubing, 1 1-2 in. Sale price	\$15.00
\$20.00 1 1-2 in. posts chocolate colored, also cream	\$11.50
\$8.00 Iron beds. Sale price	\$6.50
\$6.50 Iron beds. Sale price	\$5.00
\$5.00 Iron beds. Sale price	\$4.00
\$4.50 Iron beds. Sale price	\$3.75
\$4.00 Iron beds. Sale price	\$3.25
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Special No. 10—\$3.50 reinforced, with iron tubing sides, a good spring for heavy people. Sale price	\$2.85

Special No. 1—\$8.00. A genuine Cotton Felt Mattress, 45 lbs. in weight. Regular \$8.00 value. Sale price	\$5.79
Special No. 2—\$10.00 Cotton Felt Mattress, full 45 lbs., fancy ticking	\$7.49
Special No. 3—\$12.00 extra fine Mattress, full 45 lbs., covered with fancy ticking, roll edge. Sale price	\$8.98
Special No. 4—\$2.50 large well stuffed Excelsior Mattress. Sale price	\$1.49
Special No. 5—\$3.50 Cotton top, good ticking and well built Mattress	\$2.49
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NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Mr. Arthur Redpath, 1426 Kane street, is making preparations to move his family to Montana.

Mr. Bert Marshall, 2019 Wood street, has returned from a business trip to Galesville, Wis.

Mr. W. H. McAdam of North Bend, Wis., was a guest at the Marshall home, 2019 Wood street, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Vogt, 1218 Caledonia street, leave Monday evening for Elkhart, Ind., where Mr. Vogt has accepted a position in a bakery. Mr. Vogt was formerly shortstop for La Crosse.

Mrs. D. O. Weida, 1218 Caledonia street, has returned from a visit at St. Paul.

Mrs. O. Hallingstad of Hillyer, Wash., is visiting at the home of Andrew Haugen, 2114 Kane street.

Mrs. R. Roeder, 2226 George street, has recovered from her recent illness.

Ed. Powell of Savanna is visiting Mrs. Blanchett of 1611 Wood street, who is sick.

Mrs. O. Anderson is in Oshkosh visiting her son George, who is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Miss Hannah Danchertson and mother, 607 Wall street, are visiting in St. Paul.

"Q" FIREMAN GOES TO PACIFIC COAST

R. J. Obman, who has been employed on the "Q" as fireman for many years, has resigned his position and will leave soon for Seattle, Wash., where he has accepted a construction engineering proposition with the government.

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PLEASANT SURPRISE HELD LAST EVENING

Gerald Gibson of 1102 Charles street, was the host at a very pleasant surprise party last night. A fine supper was served and a good time enjoyed by everybody. Those present were Misses Vera Buntz, Unice Gibson, Vene Roden, Elizabeth Roden, Plymouth Fjelstad, Wilbur, Levi Parker, Willie Parker, Lyle Gibson, Thos. Gibson, Mildren Gibson and Gerald Gibson.

FUNERAL OF FRANK SPENCER TOMORROW

Francis Spencer, an old inmate of the county poor farm, died Thursday of old age, immediately after eating supper. Mr. Spencer was 85 years of age and had been an inmate of the poor farm for the last five years. He has no relatives here. The funeral will be held from the poor farm Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Undertaker Dwyer in charge.

He was formerly employed in the old John Paul lumber mill as engineer.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dawson were pleasantly surprised at their home in West La Crosse Friday afternoon, by a number of old acquaintances. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames M. Kinney, H. T. Richmond, F.

Hauser and daughter, W. A. Tripp, J. Hauser, W. G. Dawson, F. J. Dawson. The out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Copley of Austin, Minn., and Mr. and Mrs. John Hauser and son of Bayfield, Wis. All present report a fine time.

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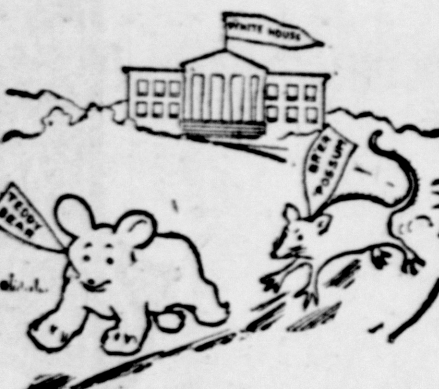
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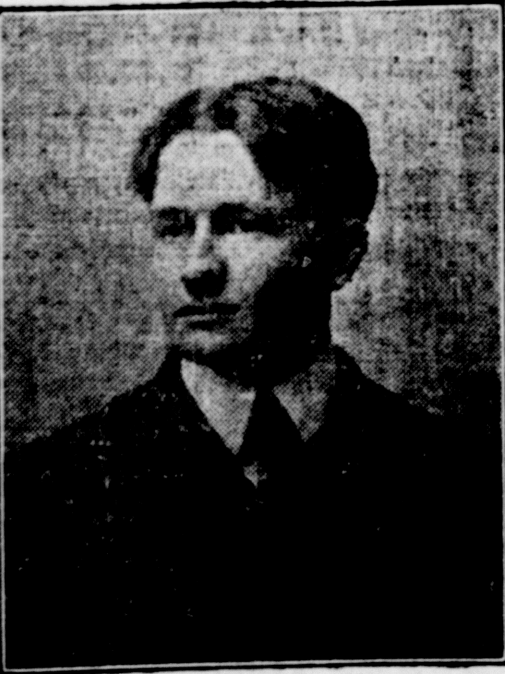


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MR. BEYSCHLAG:

Wait a minute! With this the leading organist stopped me on corner Sixth and Main. "I want to tell you something that'll interest you. You know we had a gathering of musicians the other day. Suddenly one of the members arose, got a bottle out of his coat pocket, took a draught and we all thought it was good old rye the way he smacked his lips. But it proved to be your Gray's Yerl he Santa Cough Cure, and the way he praised, would have gladdened your heart." Well, it did, for it added another testimonial to the many hundreds I've got, and you will add another one, after trying your first bottle, because Gray's Yerl he Santa is made entirely different from all other cough remedies, and invariably surmounts the user by the sudden disappearance of his cough. It's in 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

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PERSONALS

FORD—The Car of Quality.
Otto Bosshard and A. C. Wolfe have returned from a business trip to Bangor.
E. A. Knapp, formerly proprietor of the Hotel La Crosse has returned to Milwaukee.
Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
Dorothy Hart, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hart yesterday afternoon entertained about 20 of her young friends in honor of her sixth birthday.

Mrs. Burt Dunlap and daughter of St. Paul are in the city visiting her sister, Mrs. B. C. Smith.
Dance tonight at Linker hall. Music by Kreutz's orchestra.

Attorney Fred Hartwell left last night for Marshfield, Webster county, Mo. Mr. Hartwell is the attorney for the defense in a case against George Smith, a chiropractor, who it is alleged, has been practicing without a license.

The most that a girl likes about getting engaged is how some mean old cat said she never could.

CLEMENTINE:
Don't try to make angel food unless you use Gold Medal Flour.
George Sprain, the West Salem was in the city on business yesterday.

The North Side Tribune office, the place to send your news, has moved to 617 Clinton street.

Mrs. Houthmaker of this city is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. C. Seuffert of Caledonia.

Book beer at the Bluff Arcade, March 14th.

Mrs. Clem Hundt of Caledonia was the guest of relatives in town this week.

When a fellow won't take no for an answer, the only thing a girl can do is to say yet—to some one else.

Hack calls promptly attended to. Phone 179 Gateway City T-r. Line.

George Salzer of Minneapolis was in the city on business Thursday.

The Misses Nora and Dora Hart of Preston are in the city for an over Sunday visit with relatives.

Lots of young people know entirely to much, long before their education is entirely completed.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs quickly, strengthens the lungs and expels colds. Get the genuine in a yellow package. O. T. Erhart.

Mrs. Robert Bowers has returned to her home at Wykoff, after having been at a local hospital.

Miss Matilda Faas of this city is visiting her friend, Miss Edith Mos of Sand Lake.

The welfare of the world may depend partly on whether or not you can whistle in the rain.

MAHALA:
Gold Medal Flour saves worry.

Miss Ida Kommestad went to Onalaska yesterday to visit her mother until Monday.

Mrs. Holton of Fillmore is receiving medical treatment at the St. Francis hospital.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

You could never convince a woman that things could be good to eat without the right kind of oven. Henry Drake was given the contract for the erection of the Babb flats Thursday.

The license question will be one of the issues at the Trempealeau election.

"My three year old boy was badly constipated, had a high fever and was in an awful condition. I gave him two doses of Foley's Orino Laxative and the next morning the fever was gone and he was entirely well. Foley's Orino Laxative saved his life." A. Wolkush, Casimer, Wis. O. T. Erhart.

Mrs. M. Westerhouse died Thursday at North Bend at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. Clark. The funeral will be held at New Amsterdam Saturday afternoon. Rev. L. B. Colman of Onalaska officiating.

Miss Coveney of the city has accepted a position as pianist at the Unique theater in Sparta.

Occasionally it occurs to a man that it wouldn't be so bad to die, and have kind words said about him.

SOUVENIRS

For High School Students, I. G. Loomis.

CITY NEWS

PRACTICE NIGHT—The orchestra and choir of the First Baptist church meets this evening at 7:30 o'clock for practice in the church parlors. An invitation is extended to new members to join. Refreshments will be served after the rehearsal.

When anybody can show a Christian spirit in an argument it's because he has all the better of it.

SOCIETY

Social affairs looked a little brighter this week. There were a number of afternoon companies, several small bridge parties and any number of birthdays. Birthdays not being moveable feasts and not subject to changes of the moon, always fall upon their regular date, and like "time and tide, wait for no man," or "Lent either, Next week there will be t/ clubs and church suppers to help eke out society events.

AFTERNOON COMPANIES

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. W. R. Montague entertained a few ladies at a pleasant little coffee. The guests were Mesdames Knutsen, H. L. Colman, T. H. Spence, L. Colman, Samuel Wyckoff, E. E. Marston, Emma Law and W. R. Finch.

Mrs. J. L. Callahan entertained two tables at bridge yesterday. The guests were Mesdames Alex Hyslop, H. H. Powers, Hiram Goddard, J. D. Hart, W. H. Tarbox and Miss Alice Wheeler.

Mrs. Charles Michel entertained a dozen ladies at a tea yesterday for Mrs. George Gund of Cleveland.

Miss Jessie Holway entertained two tables at bridge yesterday in honor of her friend Miss Wilmarth of Glenn Falls, N. Y. Mrs. Walter Robbins took first prize and Miss Wilmarth second. The guests were the Misses Louise Gund, Grace Heath, Eleanor Marston, Irma Berger, Edna Coran, Mrs. Joyce Hogan, Mrs. James Hogan, Jr., Mrs. Walter Robbins and Mrs. Harry Holway.

Mrs. C. S. Cone entertained at a luncheon of eight covers yesterday.

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Ladies' Aid society of the English Lutheran church will meet in the church parlor next Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ketchel will serve.

W. C. T. U. ELECTIONS OFFICERS

The Colman W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. O. C. Bangsberg 524 South Sixth street, yesterday afternoon in commemoration of the birthday of Frances E. Willard. A short program was rendered, after which a business meeting was held. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Lotie Tucker; secretary, Mrs. Josie Bangsberg; treasurer, Miss Etta Bangsberg; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Jennie Cunningham, Vice presidents were appointed as follows: First, Mrs. E. M. Lockman; second, Mrs. Etta Bangsberg; and third, Mrs. F. Romanowsky. After the business session, a delicious lunch was served.

CHURCH SOCIETY

The Ladies' Industrial society of the First Baptist church will meet on Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Law and Mrs. Finch at the home of Mrs. Law, 435 South Front street.

IDEAL CINCH CLUB

The Ideal Cinch club met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Trepte, 813 South Eighth street. The head prizes were awarded to Mesdames Albert Smith and George Houser, and the second prizes went to Mesdames E. H. Hoffman and W. D. Noble. The consolation was won by Mrs. John Schleiter. Refreshments were served from 5 to 6.

WASHINGTON CLUB MEETS

The Washington 500 club met at the home of Mrs. Robt. Braun, 1024 South Sixth street, Wednesday afternoon. The prizes were taken by Mrs. G. L. Rubert, first; Mrs. L. M. Cole, second, and Mrs. C. Thierry, third.

CHILDREN'S PARTIES.

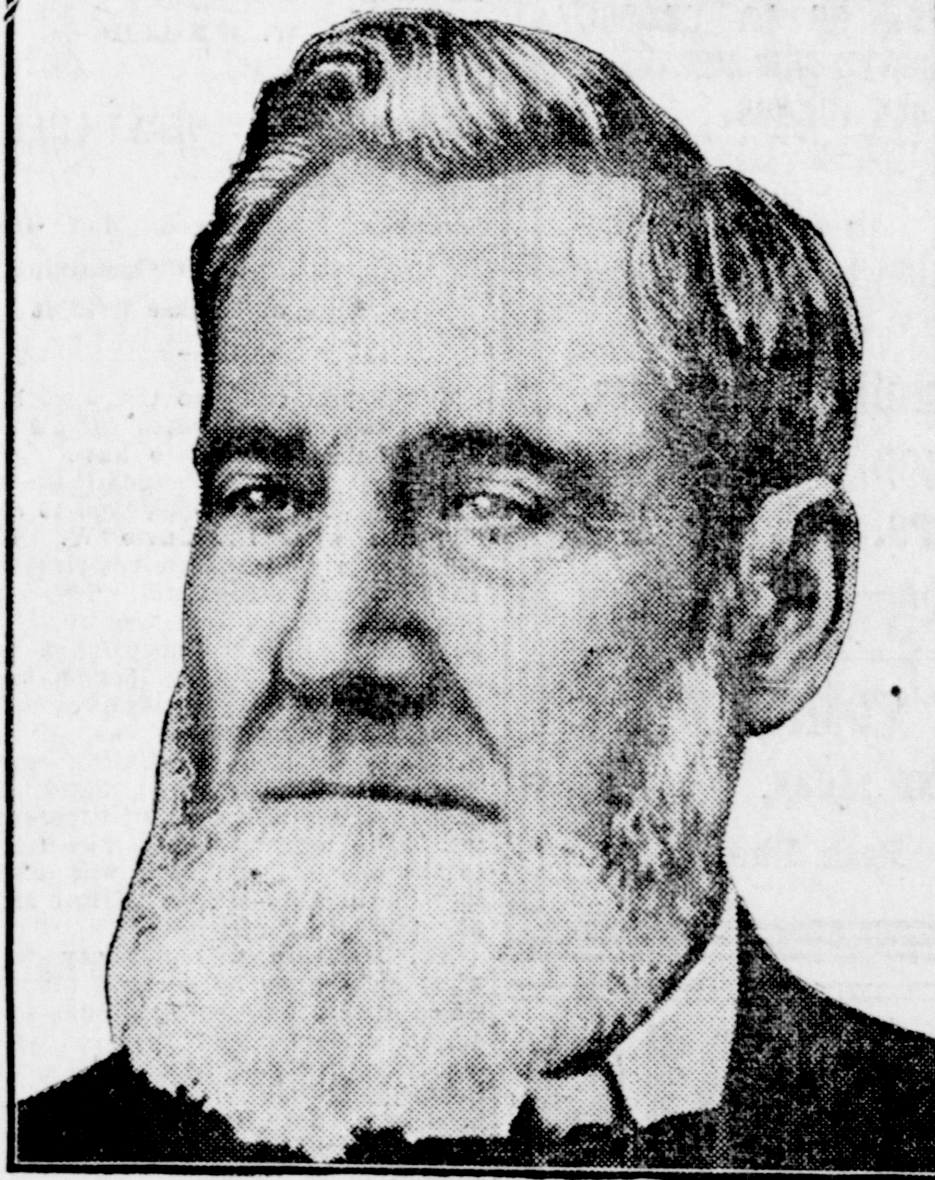
Yesterday afternoon Miss Dorothy Hart entertained about twenty-five of her friends upon the occasion of her sixth birthday. The usual birthday cake with its requisite number of candles was in evidence. Miss Emma Shuman was present and added to the enjoyment of the young guests by directing their games and leading in their little songs. Those present were Tragnor Gundersen, Louise Platz, John Ray, Josephine Holcomb, Carl Van Auker, Dorothy Westby, Virginia and Dorothy Nelson, Louise McIntosh, Irene and Franklin Pamperin, Martha Forbes, Gundor Skaar, Florence Worth, William Greunzner, Jack and Newell Holley, Elleen and Jack Dowling, Virginia Herman, Donald Kleeber, Elizabeth McKowan, Bessie Fritz and Helen Wolfe.

Monday afternoon little Louise Servis entertained a few of her friends, it being her fifth birthday.

DINNER AT POOR FARM.

Wednesday a number of people at the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson went out to the poor farm and took dinner. A musical program was arranged for the benefit of the inmates, which all seemed to enjoy. Miss Julia Hoffman played a number

**Prominent Churchman and Mason
Extols Great Body Builder.**



Mr. E. D. FOSTER, 63 years old.

Mr. E. D. Foster, of Elkhart, an active Methodist 40 years, prominent in Temperance and Masonic Circles in Indiana, who is 83 years old, expresses his convictions on the world's greatest tonic and stimulant.

Recently Mr. Foster wrote: "I have felt for some time that I ought to let you know what your medicine has done for me. I have been using Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey for a year. My son from New York City was visiting me and gave me a bottle of your medicine. It commenced to restore my strength at once. I use it every day now."

"I can do a good day's work in the blacksmith shop at the age of 83 years, and I attribute this to three tablespoonfuls of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey a day. I have taken no other medicine. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is a wonderful builder for an old man."

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of selections on the piano, and Miss Florence Herman gave several violin solos. Those from town who were present were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Herman, Mrs. Hoffman, Miss Julia Hoffman, Miss Florence Herman, Mrs. Homer Robinson and Rev. Julius Gamm.

SLEIGHING PARTIES.

Twenty-five of the members of the Young Married Folks club enjoyed a sleigh ride around the city, winding up at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wing, where an oyster supper was served.

A sleighing party was given last evening by the members of the Wilson house, chaperoned by Mrs. Koehn and Prof. Cawley. After a pleasant ride around the city they returned to the Wilson house where refreshments were served in the parlors and the evening closed in comely melody and chaps. Those who attended were Mrs. W. F. Koehn, Misses Barbara Novey, Olga Walloe, Katherine Ryan, Jennie Sundt, Genevieve Lind, Hilda Gonsen, Katharine Hogan, Miss Desmond, Morley, Nuzum, Hegge, Theresa Hansen, Genevieve Koehn, Nettie



EUGENE HUSS

DEMOCRATIC
CANDIDATE

POLICE JUSTICE

READ THE TRIBUNE

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BLACK HAND GETS DARING DETECTIVE

(Continued from page 1.)

Vanderbilt, E. H. Harriman and Morris K. Jessup.

Sought Headquarters.

Every big police department in the United States had been consulted as to their knowledge of the Black Hand procedure and every answer received in this city indicated that the Black Hand headquarters were in Sicily, while they had branches in this city, Chicago, Denver and New Orleans. The New York leaders were followed and the trail led to a New Jersey city, where Petrosino seized certain documents that started him on the trip that ended in his death.

These documents, now in the possession of the police department here, contain the names of the inner circle of the black hand and it is alleged that some of these names are of very prominent members of the Italian nobility.

Organized War to Follow

The death of Petrosino is expected to result in an organized war by the united police departments of the United States on the black hand in this country. Already the officials of the local department are in communication with the heads of police in other cities and plans are on foot for complete co-operation. Just what will be done in this connection is a closely guarded secret, but wholesale arrests of Italian criminals in this country can be looked for in the near future. The New York police are aroused by Petrosino's associates in the Italian detective bureau of which he was the head until relieved to take up this special work.

It is believed Petrosino was followed from this city to Sicily by agents of the black hand who had him marked for slaughter for the purpose of securing the information they knew he possessed.

Got the Information

Sensational developments are expected as a result of the murder. From the papers found on the body it is believed that Petrosino had secured valuable information regarding the inside working of the black hand and other criminal Italian organizations. One document gives a comprehensive list with full particulars of well known Sicilian ex-convicts now living in Palermo.

Petrosino, it is disclosed by police investigation, was waiting for an electric car near his stopping place last night when several shots rang out. The shots were fired from a distance and just as he fell, the car came along. This probably prevented the murderers from searching the body for the incriminating papers and they fled.

The police have so far made no arrests and seem to be wholly in the dark as to the identity of the murderers.

Would Have Saved McKinley

Petrosino probably knew more about the operations of criminal Italians in this country than any other man. A report that he made on the activities of anarchists in America, following the assassination of King Humbert of Italy, is now one of the valued volumes in the secret service department at Washington. Had his recommendations been followed, he claimed, the assassination of President McKinley would have been prevented.

He was born in Italy, but came to New York when a boy. He was an inspector on a city dump when Inspector Byrnes, at that time supreme in police affairs, induced him to join the force. This was 25 years ago and from that time Petrosino was known as the brains of the Italian squad at police headquarters. He had more convictions for murder to his credit than any five other headquarters detectives. Petrosino knew every Italian dialect and could easily tell from what part of Italy any of his immigrants came. Blackmailers, bomb throwers, stillite welders and their ilk stood in dread of Petrosino.

ILLUSTRATED SERMON

An illustrated sermon will be given at the English Lutheran church tomorrow evening by Rev. Clemens "World Evangelism, or America Among the Nations."

CUTS INTO ROAST; FINDS TUBERCULOSIS

SHOCKING EXPERIENCE OF DR. D. W. MCKILLIP

REPORTS IT TO HEALTH DEPT.

Sample of Meat Which Had Been Prepared for Table Containing Evidence of Disease Exhibit

When you cut into the next beef roast your wife prepares for dinner, how would you like to have your knife lay open a tubercular growth in the meat you had prepared to eat? That's what Dr. David W. McKillip, the well known veterinarian, 1407 Jackson street, did. The meat had been cooked and was ready to be eaten, when the doctor cut into a whitish growth which looked something like a fatty portion of the meat. His experience as United States inspector at the Chicago stock yards made it an easy matter for him to detect the cells of tuberculosis. The infected meat was taken to the city hall where it was exhibited to the City Health Officer Murphy and other officials.

Dr. McKillip will not say from what meat shop he secured the diseased meat, but declares that it is ample evidence that diseased meat is being furnished to citizens of La Crosse and that it emphasizes the need of a thorough inspection of all meats which are offered to consumers in La Crosse.

The matter will probably receive further attention from the city officials.

A MANN OF MEMORY AND OF CAPACITY

CHICAGO, March 13.—When Luman C. Mann, son of a rich man, resumed the stand in his own defense at today's session of his trial on the charge of strangling to death Mrs. Frances G. Thompson in a Michigan avenue boarding house on July 1 last, he found he had acquired a reputation as the champion rapid fire witness of Chicago.

When asked how good his memory was, witness instantly replied:

"My memory is infallible—almost. Why, I haven't looked at a book for ten years but today I can recite off-hand the first thousand lines of Caesar's commentaries."

In accounting for his time on the night of June 27, when state's witnesses declared he was seen with the Thompson woman, Mann told nonchalantly of going to a local summer resort and "drinking 30 or 40 bottles of beer."

FEW PEOPLE ARE WITHOUT LIVELIHOOD

The Trades and Labor council held a meeting last evening at Malin's hall. The meeting was a regular business session and nothing out of the usual routine was transacted. The reports of the standing committee show that there are less people out of work and that the "job stringency" is growing less.

NEGRO UNDER BED IN GIRLS' DORMITORY

NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., March 13. The discovery of a negro under the bed in one of the rooms in the Jesamine Feminine Institute last night quickly caused the formation of a mob that would unquestionably have wreaked speedy vengeance had the negro been captured.

Things are getting on such a strict sanitary basis that a man can no longer chew the ends of his mustache without first having them boiled.

BACK GIVES OUT

Plenty of La Crosse Readers Have This Experience.

You tax the kidneys—overwork them—They can't keep up the continued strain.

The back gives out—it aches and pains; Urinary troubles set in.

Don't wait longer—take Doan's Kidney Pills.

La Crosse people tell you how they act.

Mrs. T. Bramwell, 304 North Eleventh street, La Crosse, Wis., says: "My husband has used Doan's Kidney Pills off and on for years and they have never failed to benefit him. Before he learned of this remedy, he suffered from dull pains through his back, loins and kidneys and was unable to get relief. Since using Doan's Kidney Pills, he has suffered but little. My sister has also taken this remedy and been cured of kidney complaint."

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NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

Engineer John Schweigert of 607 Wall street is out again after being confined with the gripe.

Charles Schaefer has entirely recovered from the attack of the gripe which kept him confined to his home for the past week.

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MEN'S CLUB IN CHARGE

The Men's club of the First Presbyterian church will have complete charge of the services at the Y. M. C. A. Tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, furnishing the speakers and the music.



A Twin Propeller.

ODD FELLOWS WILL GIVE 15 JEWELS

IMPORTANT CEREMONY IN LOCAL LODGE MARCH 15TH

VETERANS WILL BE HONORED

Social Program of Music and Dancing Will be Followed by a Big Dinner

Gateway City lodge No. 153 of the I. O. O. F. will present veterans' jewels to 15 of its members at Odd Fellows' hall, March 15. Those who will receive the decoration are W. R. Finch, B. E. Edwards, James Drake, E. B. Webster, Wm. Yeo, J. E. Wallace, E. L. Spicer, Geo. Russell, Charles Kiebe, C. C. Walker, S. League, Andrew Warsaw, Albert Kirschner and W. L. Keating.

Invitations have been extended to all the members of the Gateway City lodge No. 153, La Crosse Valley lodge No. 149, Normanna lodge No. 260 and all the Odd Fellows in the city, to attend this meeting and participate in the festivities.

In addition to the ceremony of presenting the jewels, there will be music, dancing and a dinner. All arrangements have been made for a royal good time.

The following interesting program will be rendered:

Piano duet Poet and Peasant

Drake Brothers.

Recitation The Lodge Pin

Florence Reburn.

Violin solo Serenade

Vera Anderson

Vocal solo Dorothy Storch.

Recitation J. L. Utermoehl.

Piano solo Elizabeth Kaiser.

Sadie Wyne.

Vocal solo Two Grenadiers

Henry Walters.

Piano solo Florence Christianson

Presentation of Veterans' Jewels ..

Paul W. Mahoney.

Y. M. C. A. BASKETBALL TEAM BEATS CANTON

The Y. M. C. A. team returned this morning from Canton, Minn., where they played basket ball against the fast Canton team last evening. The game was played in a small hall which accounts for the low score made, the size of the hall interfering with the Y boys in passing or team work. The score was 71 to 11 in favor of the local team.

The game was played in the opera house and a large crowd witnessed the game.

Tonight the local team meets the Rochester Y. M. C. A. team at the armory hall.

A GOMPERS DEMONSTRATION

BOSTON, Mass., March 13.—With bands and banners galore, 100,000 union labor men of Boston are to parade tomorrow to protest against the sentencing to jail of Samuel Gompers, Jno. Mitchell and Frank Morrison, officers of the American Federation of Labor.

E. F. U. CLASS ADOPTION

La Crosse assembly No. 154 will hold its regular meeting on Tuesday, March 16, and will make arrangements for a large class adoption for April. Cards and dancing will be enjoyed after the meeting. The Goose-town band will furnish the music.

FIRST TO WEAR OUT WITH AGE

The great majority of men and women at the age of 50 years begin to feel the first signs of advancing age in some form of kidney trouble and bladder weakness. Few are entirely free from that torturous disease, rheumatism, which is not a disease in itself, but a symptom of deranged function of the kidneys, which have become clogged and sluggish, failing in their duty of lifting and straining the poisonous waste matter, uric acid, etc., from the blood, permitting it to remain and decompose, settling about the joints and muscles, causing intense pain and suffering.

The bladder, however, causes the old folks the most annoyance, especially at night and early morning.

Hundreds of readers who suffer will find the following, which is known as the Dandelion mixture, the most harmless and effective treatment to clean the system of rheumatic poisons, remove irritation of the bladder and relieve urinary difficulties of the old people. It is a true vitalizing tonic to the entire kidney and urinary structure, reinvigorating the entire system.

The Dandelion mixture consists of the following simple prescription, the ingredients of which can be obtained from any good pharmacy at small cost: Compound Kargon, one ounce; Fluid Extract Dandelion, one-half ounce; Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla, three ounces. Shake well in a bottle and take in teaspoonful doses after each meal and upon going to bed, also drink plenty of water.

This prescription, though simple, is always effective in the diseases and afflictions of the kidneys and bladder and rheumatism.

Get Rid of Spring Humors

Impure or effete matters accumulated in the blood during the winter cause in the spring such disfiguring and painful troubles as boils, pimples and other eruptions, also weakness, loss of appetite, that tired feeling.

The best medicine to take is Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly cleanses the blood, and effects permanent cures by giving healthy functional activity to the stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels and skin.

Hood's Sarsaparilla effects its wonderful cures, not simply because it contains sarsaparilla, but because it combines the utmost remedial value of more than 20 different ingredients, each greatly strengthened and enriched by this peculiar combination. These ingredients are the very remedies that successful physicians prescribe for the same diseases and ailments. There is no real substitute for Hood's Sarsaparilla. If urged to buy any preparation said to be "just as good," you may be sure it is inferior, costs less to make, and yields the dealer a larger profit.

Begin taking Hood's Sarsaparilla today, in the usual liquid form or in the chocolate tablets known as Sarsatabs. 100 Doses One Dollar.

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JUVENILE JUDGE.

The committee in charge of the Y. M. C. A. Entertainment Course are very sorry to announce to its patrons the postponement of Judge Lindsey's lecture on the

"MISFORTUNES OF MICKEY"

From March 17th to May 6th, 1909.

Mr. Lindsey has been forced to cancel but one week of his lecture engagements in order to give his attention to several bills he has before the Colorado legislature.

We are thankful, however, to be among the six cities that are to be favored with a visit and coming so late in the season, it has been decided to have Mr. Lindsey give his lecture in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. The seats will be on sale May 5 at 9 a. m.

Respectfully,

ENTERTAINMENT COURSE COMMITTEE



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An Entire Trainload—35 Cars—of California's Choicest Seedless "Sunkist" Oranges Now Speeding Across the Continent for the Great Special Orange Sale

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Keep the date in mind and ask your dealer to send one or two dozen of these fresh picked "Sunkist" Oranges up to your home.

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This "Sunkist" Orange Special is now speeding from California by special express freight—given the right of way wherever possible, and during the entire week beginning Monday, March 15, this extra fine fruit will be on sale at special prices everywhere throughout the state.

A Splendid Spring Tonic

The tonic value of a good orange is recognized by physicians. A "Sunkist" Orange with every meal means a keener appetite, better digestion and a clearer brain.

In these earliest days of spring the system requires a gentle, persistent, "toning up." For this you can find nothing so delightfully effective as "Sunkist" Oranges.

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Oranges ever grown, at the lowest prices. Don't miss it.

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PRIMARY LAW IS UPHELD IN DEBATE

O. K. AS APPLIED TO STATE OFFICERS IS DECISION

PREPARE FOR SPARTA DEBATE

High School Societies Are Active — Wendell Phillips Society Calls World Indictment Justifiable

"Resolved, that the Wisconsin primary law as applied to state officers should be repealed," was the subject taken for the discussion by the members of the Lincoln-Douglass Debating society of the High school last evening. Jacobson and Wagner, upheld the affirmative, and Gelatt and Bernik argued for the negative. The jury consisting of Dickinson, Millington and Leithold, rendered a unanimous decision for the negative. After the debate the club members were given a twenty minute parliamentary law practice. Sigvald Stavrum, an alumnus and a former president of the society, presided.

Tickets for Debate. The tickets for the coming debate between the La Crosse and the Sparta high schools will be on sale at the local school next Monday morning. A great deal of interest centers in the debate and indications point to a rapid sale of the tickets. The speakers report that they have their speeches in fine order now, and each member of the home team is confident of defeating Sparta.

Indictment Justifiable. In the debate held by the Wendell Phillips Debating society of the high school last evening the question "Resolved, that the indictment of Editor Pulitzer of the New York

World by the grand jury of the District of Columbia was unjustifiable," was debated. After a spirited discussion the jury consisting of Ahlstrom, Barrett and Erickson rendered a unanimous decision for the negative. Gesell and Collieran defended Mr. Pulitzer, and Johnson and Swennes talked against him. Rudolph Schlaabach acted as critic for the evening.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney or bladder trouble that is not beyond the reach of medicine. Cures backache and irregularities that if neglected might result in Bright's disease or diabetes. O. T. Erhart.

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Rowena Circle Rowena circle Brotherhood of American Yeomen gave the ninth of their series of card parties in Coren hall Tuesday afternoon. In spite of the inclement weather a goodly crowd of ladies turned out. Handsome prizes were awarded the members. Rowena circle will hold their next regular meeting Tuesday afternoon in Coren hall.

WEATHER BUREAU DEFENDS FORECAST

ONE PREDICTION IN TEN IS OFF SAYS MOORE

METEOROLOGY NOT PERFECT

When It Becomes an Exact Science Then Forecasts Guaranteed—Inaugural Storm Discussed

Weather Observer E. C. Thompson of this city today received from Willis L. Moore, chief of weather bureau at Washington, an official statement replying to the criticisms of newspapers concerning the failure of the department to forecast the blizzard which raged in Washington during the inauguration of President Taft, March 4. The communication says:

"It is not usual to answer criticisms of the forecasts of the weather bureau, but the hundreds of press clippings that have been received since March 4 containing adverse criticisms of the bureau seem to call for this statement from me. "Forecasts of the weather bureau are before the public every day in the year. In the past about one prediction out of each ten failed to be verified, and it may be expected that the same ratio of failure will be maintained until meteorology can be made, what it is not now, an exact science.

"In the case of the storm that visited Washington on the 4th of March last, the fact is that the disturbance began her on the morning of the 3rd, and was accurately forecast the day before. The bureau anticipated that the storm center would pass over the middle Atlantic states during the night of the 3rd, and that northwest winds and falling temperatures would leave a clear day for the 4th. The center past precisely as forecast, the wind shifted and the temperature fell, but instead of the northwest wind

clearing the sky as it does in nearly all cases, precipitation in the form of snow occurred and continued for twelve hours after the storm center had passed eastward. No forecaster could foresee this. Were we to foretell a fall of snow following the passage of storm centers that move from the northwest, we would have hundreds of failures charged against us, instead of an occasional one, for it is rare that snow falls in the middle Atlantic states except with the approach of a storm from the southwest, which causes northeast winds, and it is extremely rare that any storm in this region that begins with rain ends with snow of any considerable amount. On the contrary, many storms that begin as snow end as rain.

"The forecast in question was made by one of the most experienced forecasters of the bureau and was concurred in by all of the forecasters who were conversant with the conditions, and the same forecast would be made today if similar conditions existed.

"The forecasters of the United States weather bureau are the equals if not the superiors of any others in the world, and their predictions of frosts, cold waves, floods and marine storms, although subject to error in the proportion of about one to ten, are of such value to the industries of the nation that if one of the newspapers that now so freely criticize because two unverified forecasts for the District of Columbia have fallen on inauguration day were to omit from its pages the daily predictions of the weather its readers would compel it to restore them, and if the Department or Congress were to close a station of the Bureau in any part of the United States the property interests would demand its restoration. This would not be the case if the hysterical abuse that is now being indulged in was justified.

Chief U. S. Weather Bureau.

It Saved His Leg.

"All thought I'd lose my leg," writes J. A. Swenson, Watertown, Wis. "Ten years of eczema, that 15 doctors could not cure, had at last laid me up. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it sound and well." Infallible for Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Salt Rheum, Bolls, Fever Sores, Burns, Scalds, Cuts and Piles, 25c at O. T. Erhart's.

FRIENDS OF OPTION HOLD "FIELD DAY"

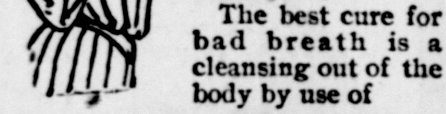
MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—Some day next week, either Wednesday or Thursday, the friends of county option are going to hold a regular field day in the assembly. At that time petitions from all sections of the state will be presented to the legislature and will undoubtedly be referred to the committee on state affairs, containing over 20,000 signatures. In addition to this hundreds of petitions have already been presented to the legislature favoring the county option law and it is estimated that, when all of the petitions are in, they will represent the signed sentiment of between 30,000 and 40,000 people. The county option bill in the legislature was introduced by Senator Marsh.

Unlike a man a hen is satisfied with a picked-up dinner.

Bad Breath.

A well-known physician, who undoubtedly knows, declares that bad breath has broken off more matches than bad temper.

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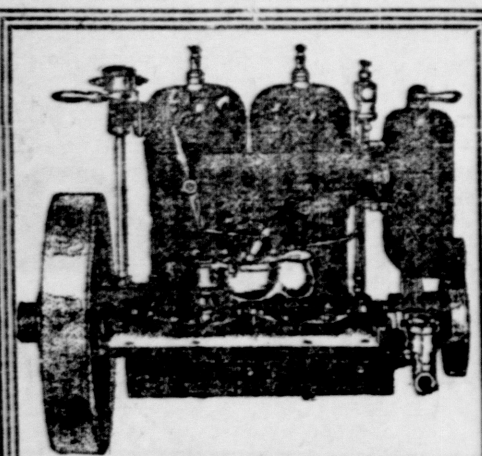
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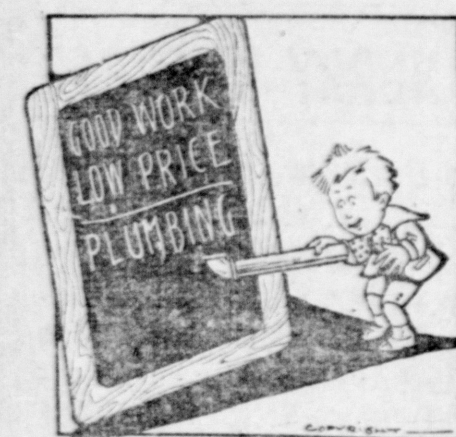
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THE CHURCHES

Emanuel Evangelical Association.

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Norwegian Lutheran.
Norwegian Lutheran church, corner of Sixth and Division streets. Rev. H. G. Magelsson, pastor.—Regular services.

First Baptist Church.
Rev. J. E. Ayscue, pastor. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school, 11:45; Young People's meeting at 6:30. Colton mission Sunday school at 3 o'clock. Y. W. C. A.

Y. W. C. A., 410 Cass street.—Sunday afternoon, 4 o'clock.

People's Sunday School.
People's Sunday school meets in Travelers' hall, Linker building, corner of Fourth and Main streets, Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The usual program of health exercise will be carried out.

Spiritualist Church.
First Spiritualist church, Linker's hall, corner Fourth and Main.—Usual services will be held.

Christian Science.
First Church of Christ, Scientist, King street, between Fifth and Sixth. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m.; subject, "Substance." Wednesday testimonial meeting at 7:45 p. m.

German Baptist.
German Baptist church, corner of Seventh and Winnebago streets. Rev. E. Berger, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Sunday morning at 10:45, sermon and communion service. Evening at 7:30, praise service. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting. Thursday afternoon, at 2:30, the Ladies' Mission society will meet at the home of Mrs. J. Ender, 1214 Mississippi street. Miss Rose L. Boynton, corresponding secretary of the Women's Baptist Home Mission society, will speak to the society. Friends are invited. Saturday afternoon at 2:30, industrial school, sewing for girls and drawing for boys.

English Lutheran.
The English Lutheran church of the Holy Trinity, West avenue and Ferry street. Rev. J. J. Clemens, pastor. Services third Sunday after Lent as usual. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Chief service at 10:45 a. m. Evening service at 7:45. Subject of morning sermon will be "Neutrality Impossible." In the evening the pastor expects to deliver an illustrated sermon upon topic, "World Evangelism—or, America Among the Nations." Admission free to all, but an offering will be taken. Lenten service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.

Episcopal Church.
Christ church, Ninth and Main streets (Episcopal). Rev. C. N. Moller, rector; organist, Mr. Urquhart Cawley, B. A. Services for third Sunday in Lent:
8:00—Holy communion.
9:30—Sunday school.
10:45—Morning service—Benedictus, Brewer in G. Benedictus, Garrett in E flat. Anthem, "Lord, for Thy Tender Mercies," Farrant.
Sermon, "The Power of the Word of God."
7:30—Evening service—Service, Joy in D. Anthem, "Savior, Thy Children Keep," Sullivan.
Sermon, Second address on "Church Unity."

St. Paul's Universalist.
St. Paul's Universalist church, Eighth and Cass. Rev. J. S. Lowe, pastor. Regular preaching services.

Dizziness A Danger Signal

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Invariably flatulence and dizziness indicate the beginning of serious troubles, stomach and intestine troubles usually follow which sooner or later develop symptoms of an alarming nature. Catarrh of the stomach, gastritis, constipation, piles, liver troubles and a general break-down of the health usually follow these symptoms when left to run their full course. When the stomach is not performing its proper duty the rest of the system is sure to suffer. As it is a well known fact that the stomach feeds the rest of the body and organs, therefore many other diseases may arise, either directly or indirectly from disorder of the stomach.

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at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at noon. Y. P. C. U. meeting at 6:30 p. m. Subject of morning sermon, "Burden Bearing."

Westminster Presbyterian
Westminster Presbyterian church, Redfield street, D. H. Rohrbach, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Preaching by Rev. W. D. Thomas, D. D. Solo by Walter Harrington. Sunday school at 11:45.

First Methodist
First Methodist Episcopal church, corner Eighth and King streets.—Rev. A. L. Shute, pastor, 231 South Eighth street. Class meeting 9:30 a. m. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon subject, "Fishing." Sunday school at 12 m. Epworth league at 6:30 p. m. Subject of the sermon at 7:30 p. m., "Hell—Where and What Is It and Who Will Be There?" Teacher training class, Tuesday, 7:30 p. m. Midweek service, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Subject, "The Armor of God." Ephesians 6:10-24.

West Avenue M. E.
West Avenue M. E. church, West avenue, near Mississippi street, W. P. Cunningham, pastor.—Public worship, 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 7:30. W. A. Brotherhood meets Thursday evening at 8. Ladies' sewing circle meets with Mrs. J. S. Coleman, 1219 State street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30. Entertained by Mesdames Coleman, Anderson, Stavrum and McCaleb.

First Presbyterian
Rev. D. C. Jones, pastor. Morning service at 10:30. Evening service at 7:30. Sunday school at 12. Junior Endeavor at 3 p. m. Senior Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Morning subject, "The Supreme Church of Life." Evening subject, "The Unchangeable Christ." Ladies' society of the church will hold a supper Thursday evening. Price 25 cents.

First Congregational
First Congregational church, Main and Seventh streets. Henry Faville, pastor.—Morning worship at 10:30 a. m., preceded by a ten minute organ prelude by Prof. P. Packman. "Business Methods in the Lord's Business." Vesper service in the church parlors at 7 p. m. Topic, "The World's Greatest Song Book." Bible school at noon. Men's class to which all are invited.

German Methodist
German Methodist church, corner Seventh and Ferry streets, Rev. J. L. Panzlau, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30; Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; Epworth league meeting at 6:45 p. m.; evening service at 7:30.

DEFER REPORT ON RAILROAD REFUND

MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—After an afternoon and evening appearing before the joint committee on taxation on Bill No. 256a., providing for a refund of the excess over the average ratio the railroad property bears to the general property of the state, the committee took the matter under advisement and will render a report to the legislature in a few days.

The opening remark made by City Attorney Thomas E. Lynch, city attorney of Superior. After going into a general discussion of taxation of railroad property, under the present ad valorem system, he showed the present injustice regarding the taxation of railroad properties, especially in certain localities where large terminals and yards exist, showing that the taxation of railroad properties in these localities was not equal, this being especially true at Superior where the value of railroad property is over \$15,000,000 as compared with general property given by the tax commission which is \$39,000,000. He declared that Superior's proportionate share of tax is \$69,000, based on above valuations, whereas the amount it contributes toward the state through its railroad property is over \$170,000, thereby contributing over \$100,000 more than its proportionate share. The injustice of this was shown by the fact that as a result of this present system Superior is paying three times more than any locality in the state. This argument was brought forcibly home to the joint taxation committee by City Attorney Lyons by means of charts which he exhibited that showed the large holdings of railroad property inside the city limits of Superior, from which the city derives no benefit in the way of local taxes. Mr. Lyons said that the bill before the committee would in no way affect the present ad valorem taxation law, but would simply distribute the excess that any county pays to those counties in proportion to the amount of railroad property within these counties bears to the total railroad property of the state.

Col. Hiram Hayes spoke to the committee on unjust and unequal taxation and referred to decisions of the courts, that all property should be taxed upon an equal and just basis.

Judge L. K. Luse of Superior took up the legal points of the argument raised by Col. Hayes and elucidated it very fully from the court decisions. He read extensively from numerous decisions, especially those of the Wisconsin Supreme court.

Judge Emil Baensch of Manitowoc addressed the committee at some length upon the bill introduced in the senate by Senator Randolph which provides for the present ad valorem system of taxation, but that the taxes shall be collected by the commission and returned to the various localities, wherein railroads exist, as valued by the commission, except the right of way.

Assembly Chapple told of the great expense which cities were compelled to forego to provide police and fire protection for this railroad property

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which gave them no source of revenue.

Judge N. S. Gilson, chairman of the state tax commission thought that any deviation from the present law might mean the disrupting of the system of taxing railroads. He thought neither bill should pass, and hinted strongly that the present law should be left as it is. Tax Commissioner Curtis took a similar view of the matter, declaring that the legislature must now choose whether railroads are to be taxed as local or as state property. At the hearing which was continued in the evening District Attorney F. R. Foley of Superior and H. V. Gard also spoke in favor of the measure.

BANKERS NAME PROGRAM COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the members of Group 7 of the Wisconsin Bankers' association and of District 1 of the Minnesota organization held at the La Crosse club Thursday afternoon, a committee on program for the joint meeting of these branches of the associations of Minnesota and Wisconsin

which is to meet at Winona during the first week in June, was appointed.

The Wisconsin members of the committee are J. A. Bayer of this city and E. F. Clark of Galesville. The Minnesota members are J. G. Robertson of Rushford, George Pfefferkorn of St. Charles, and O. M. Green of Winona.

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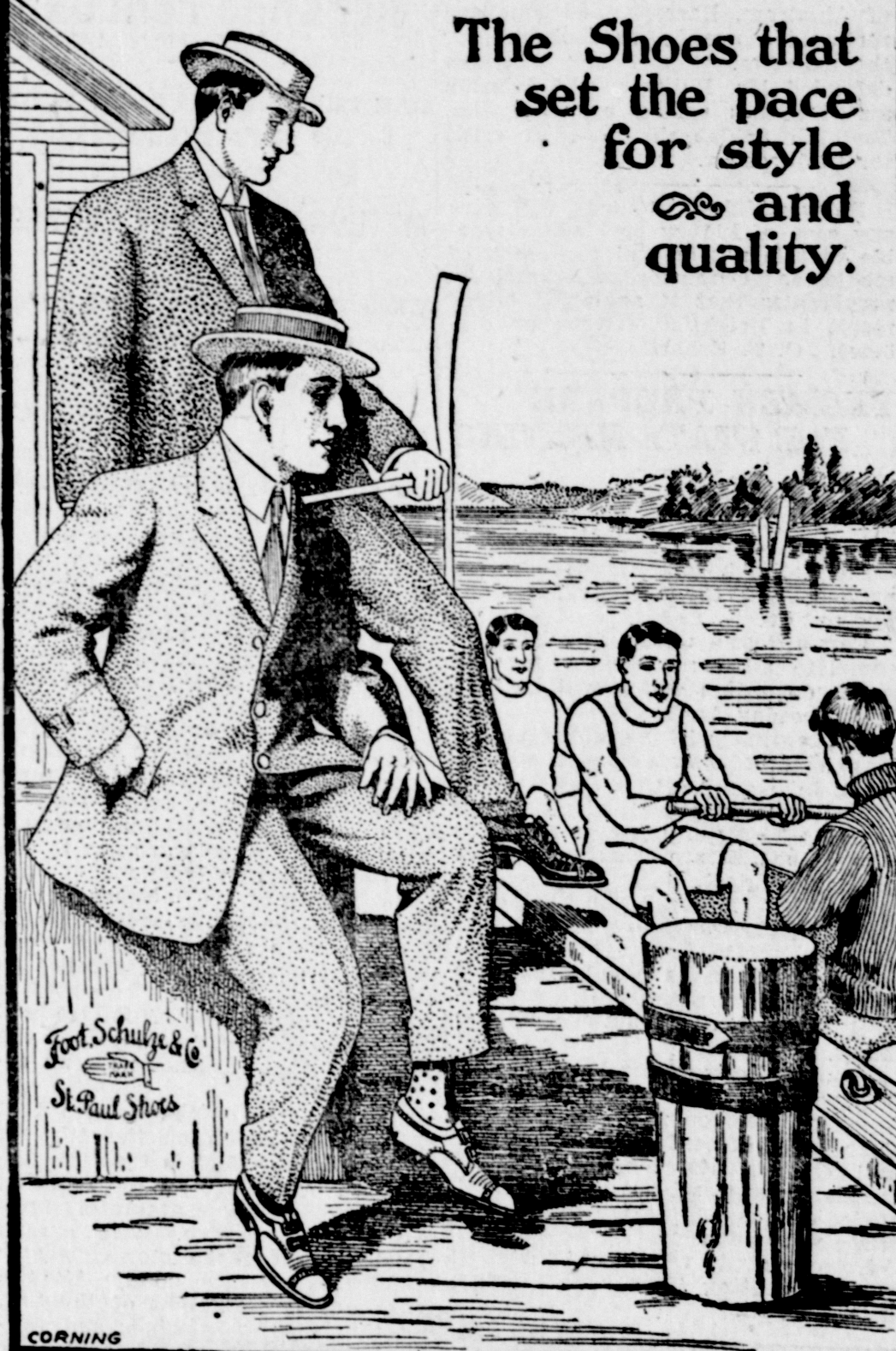
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LIST OF CANDIDATES

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CITY OF LA CROSSE.
I, Joseph M. Sieger, City Clerk of said city, do hereby certify that the following is a list of the names of all persons for whom nomination papers have been filed in my office, and who are entitled to be voted for at the primary election to be held in the several wards and precincts of said city, on the 23rd day of March, 1909.

	DEMOCRATIC. NAME. STREET ADDRESS.	REPUBLICAN. NAME. STREET ADDRESS.
Mayor	Ori J. Sorensen, 123 South Eleventh.	Friend C. Suiter, 222 South Seventh.
City Clerk	Ernest Hodous, 1216 West Ave. S. C. William Schwalbe, 1405 S Eighth Joseph M. Sieger, 726 South Eighth	John E. Swan, 1008 Badger Street.
City Treasurer	Robert W. Gifford, 1427 Avon St. Charles F. Lang, 1810 South Front. George W. Young, 220 Mill Street.	Frank N. Allen, 433 Mill Street.
Comptroller	William J. Fries, 425 North Ninth	Otto I. Lee, 1729 Kane Street.
Tax Commissioner	Joseph J. Frisch, 922 Farnam St. Patrick McCauley, 212 Caledonia St.	Geo. H. Hagenah, 511 King Street.
Police Justice of the City at Large...	Clinton W. Hunt, 208 South Fourth. Eugene Huss, 611 Division St.	Edward Cronon, 1013 State Street. John A. Daniels, 1128 State Street.
Board of Public Works	James T. Day, 716 Pine Street. C. C. Hamilton, 323 North Fourth. Joseph F. Lapitz, 1113 State Street. Arthur J. Roberge, 1641 Kane St. Fred Schnell, 1603 West Avenue S. James H. Smith, 1502 Kane Street. John F. Warsaw, 1012 State Street.	Walter H. Blinston, 1526 Charles. Samuel S. Guertin, 921 So. Seventh. Carl Hanson, 527 North Seventh.
Supervisor—1st Ward	Henry Muellenberg, 726 N. Ninth	John M. Blair, 721 North Ninth St.
Supervisor—2nd Ward	John Timp, 216 Pearl Street.	
Supervisor—3rd Ward	Peter Lehnen, 1222 South Sixth St.	Peter A. Rippe, 1023 South Fifth St.
Supervisor—4th Ward	J. H. Collins, 617 Vine Street.	Theodore B. Lawrence, 123 N. Ninth
Supervisor—5th Ward	William Dwyer, 632 Mill Street.	Joseph Gale, 619 Avon Street.
Supervisor—6th Ward		Oscar H. Hulberg, 329 South Sixth.
Supervisor—7th Ward	William C. Paul, 1715 Winnebago.	Louis Ruud, 1425 Market Street.
Supervisor—8th Ward	Wenzel Lapitz, 1201 South Tenth.	
Supervisor—9th Ward		Bernt Nelson, 1334 Kane Street. Fred Paulson, 1433 Caledonia St.
Supervisor—10th Ward		William C. Riek, 1601 Loomis St.
Supervisor—11th Ward	Olaf Swennes, 414 N. Fourteenth.	E. W. Guenther, 1401 Pine Street.
Supervisor—12th Ward	William H. Collins, 319 Vine Street.	
Supervisor—13th Ward	George J. Ritter, 614 South Third.	Gustave A. Ott, 901 South Front.
Supervisor—14th Ward	John B. Hettinger, 1301 State Street	George R. Hodge, 302 West Ave. N. Arthur Holbek, 1510 Vine Street.
Supervisor—15th Ward	Hubert Dessen, 402 Caledonia St. William P. Kerrigan, 528 Mill St.	Ernest N. Rice, 321 Caledonia St.
Supervisor—16th Ward		William F. Baker, 333 S. Twentieth Fred L. Goddard, 217 S. Sixteenth.
Supervisor—17th Ward	John P. Kemp, Jr., 929 Market St.	John Kindley, 705 South Eighth St.
Supervisor—18th Ward	George H. Berger, 603 Hood Street.	
Supervisor—19th Ward	George Baum, 1001 Rose Street.	A. C. Eberhart, 1127 Caledonia St. John B. Turnbull, 914 Caledonia.
Supervisor—20th Ward	J. F. Shaddock, 1810 Kane Street.	Anton O. Black, 1319 Livingston. Andrew C. Kaylor, 2109 George St.
Supervisor—21st Ward	Nic Hentges, 2405 S. Fifteenth St.	
Alderman—1st Ward	Julius Hackbart, 410 N. Eleventh. Gustave A. Keller, 509 North Ninth.	Burt C. Smith, 515 North Eighth St.
Alderman—2nd Ward	Frank Kohn, 226 Pearl Street.	O. J. Johnson, 328 South Third St.
Alderman—3rd Ward	Joseph C. Houska, 423 Adams St.	Joseph A. Pavak, 1208 South Fourth.
Alderman—Fourth Ward	William H. Tarbox, 223 North Eighth	Frank M. Clark, 330 North Eighth. Joseph F. Schrank, 921 Vine Street.
Alderman—5th Ward	Otto Granke, 833 Rose Street.	John H. Arenz, 712 Powell Street.
Alderman—6th Ward	Adam Kroner, 947 Division Street.	Charles F. Emery, 925 Cass street.
Alderman—7th Ward	Frank G. Roth, 1220 Market Street.	William Rehffuss, 910 S. Seventeenth Otto H. Sill, 1429 Winnebago Street. Ole Wold, 1403 Jackson Street.
Alderman—8th Ward	Herman Rediske, 1230 S. Eleventh. John Schneeberger, 1027 W. Ave. S.	
Alderman—9th Ward	Herman W. Singer, 1436 Caledonia	George B. Marvin, Jr., 1433 Berlin Christ Pederson, 1453 Kane Street.
Alderman—10th Ward		P. C. Casberg, 1519 Kane Street. William Kathary, 1219 Sill Street.
Justice of the Peace—1st Ward	Chas. E. Freimark, 1011 La Crosse.	Jens Lienlokken, 502 N. 6th St.
Justice of the Peace—2nd Ward	James Jarvis, 429 King St.	
Justice of the Peace—3rd Ward	Henry A. Walter, 914 S. 5th St.	Albert Loeffler, 1647 M. Coulee road
Justice of the Peace—4th Ward		Leonard Kleeber, 108 N. 6th St.
Justice of the Peace—8th Ward	Henry Muth, 1040 1/2 Redfield St.	
Justice of the Peace—11th Ward		J Lester Garder, 424 Oakland St.
Justice of the Peace—12th Ward		J. C. Raymond, 511 Vine St.
Justice of the Peace—13th Ward	William J. Sieger, 808 S. 3rd St.	
Justice of the Peace—14th Ward		John A. Daniels, 1128 State St.
Justice of the Peace—15th Ward	James Wotherspoon, 222 Rose St.	
Justice of the Peace—16th Ward		Cameron L. Baldwin, 1720 Cam. Ave.
Justice of the Peace—17th Ward	Herman Langstad, 623 S. 7th St.	A. H. McCool, 1020 Mississippi St.
Justice of the Peace—18th Ward	John Hammes, 905 Adams St.	
Justice of the Peace—20th Ward		Andrew Ashla, 1933 Kane St.
Justice of the Peace—21st Ward	Gus Burand, 2108 Michel St.	
Constable—1st Ward	Clinton D. Luth, 925 Pine St.	Frank Culver, 904 La Crosse St.
Constable—2nd Ward	William Branson, Jr., 201 Pearl St.	
Constable—3rd Ward	Louis B. Omerberg, 1417 S. 4th St.	
Constable—4th Ward	John A. Weber, 619 Kane St.	
Constable—5th Ward	John Blaskaske, Denton St.	
Constable—6th Ward	Peter Wendling, Jr. 627 N. 15th St	
Constable—7th Ward	David Jacob, 517 S. 5th St	
Constable—8th Ward	John Rohrer, 526 Sumner St.	
Constable—9th Ward	Anton Verse, 1420 S. 10th St.	
Constable—10th Ward		William B. Hemphill, 820 Market St.
Constable—11th Ward		A. J. Anderson 2026 Prospect St.
Constable—12th Ward	Charles Jackel, 2003 Michel St.	

The said primary election will be held at the regular polling places in each precinct, and the polls will be open from six o'clock in the morning until seven o'clock in the evening.
In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 12th day (SEAL) of March, A. D. 1909.
JOSEPH M. SIEGER, City Clerk.

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS RETAINED

ALDERMEN DECIDE IT BY A DECISIVE VOTE

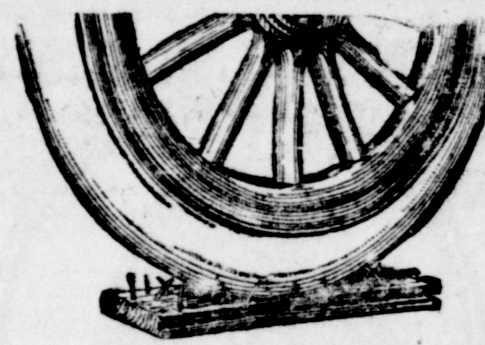
THIRTEEN FOR RETENTION

Salaries are to be Provided and Further Action is Taken Looking to Municipal Light Plant

The Tribune desires to call to the attention of the La Crosse public the conduct of John Day in relation to the vote for the abolition of the board of public works.
Mr. Day is a candidate for commissioner of the board of public works, and the abolition of the board would have resulted in his losing his chance for the office.
Mr. Day was also chairman of the committee which considered the ordinance to establish the board, and reported unanimously in favor of abolition.
Mr. Day made a clean-cut, forceful speech in favor of abolishing the board, on the ground that public interest demanded it. He said that while he was a candidate for an office on the board, a study of the facts, and inquiry among business men of reliable judgment, had convinced him that the board as now constituted lacked efficiency. He urged the aldermen to vote to abolish the board, and he himself voted to abolish it.
Contrast the action of this man in seeking to abolish an office for which he was himself a candidate, with the action of thirteen aldermen in voting to retain it because they had friends seeking office in it, even though they knew the board was unsatisfactory and that the people of La Crosse were almost a unit in demanding its action.

Before a large audience that contained a liberal sprinkling of politicians and candidates the common council voted down the plan to abolish the board of public works by refusing to adopt a portion of the general charter which provides that a commission composed of the city engineer, the comptroller and the city attorney shall constitute a board of commissioners of public works.
The council voted down the ordinance by 13 to 7 when it required a vote of 16 in its favor before it could be passed. It is the opinion of a number of people who have favored the ordinance that the matter had not received a careful enough preparation and that the people as well as some of the aldermen did not understand the situation thoroughly. The committee of which Mr. Day was chairman (he is one of the candidates for board of public works), gave the matter careful consideration and was of the opinion that it would be for the best interests of the people if the board were abolished, but the excitement and pressure of the coming campaign was on the aldermen and that they had evidently been seen by the various candidates who have aspirations for the office, was apparent, so the scheme went down to a demoralizing defeat.
Following was the vote:
Ayes—Bartl, Day, Emery, Goddard, Keller, Marvin, Rehffuss—7.
Nays—Arenz, Bedessom, Downs, Grover, Houska, Jolade, Lang, Muenzenberger, Palmer, Schnell, Sletten, Snyder and Volmar—13.
Want Salaries
The question of salaries was passed upon by the council without a murmur of dissent and the smile of satisfaction beamed upon the faces of the aldermen as a unanimous vote was registered in its favor. The committee on finance will fix the amount of the salaries. The salaries of the other city officials will be considered at the same time.
Want Light Plant
After a campaign of considerable extent and many handicaps the light committee has at last succeeded by a vote of the council, in bringing the matter of a municipal light plant before the people at the municipal election this spring.
There was considerable discussion regarding the authority of the aldermen in spending \$400 for estimates when the resolution provided that they spend a sum "not exceeding \$500 for plans and specifications for the plant." An additional sum of \$400 will be required before the plans can be secured.
A communication from the board of public works was read at the close of the meeting and the mayor was ordered to appoint a committee of three with himself as chairman, to investigate charges made against the board of public works by J. P. Fetter, representing a firm of bidders, and also insinuations made by R. B. Gelatt in the editorial columns of his paper. There was some dissent among the aldermen regarding this proceeding as they were of the opinion that it was folly to appoint an investigating committee every time that a charge is made against a public officer.

Other Matters
A contract was made with the J. Gordon, Steele company to have them install their system for one year and make two audits. The price was not to exceed \$1,000.
Mayor Anderson refused to sign the ordinance granting the Burlington railroad company the privilege to build tracks from Front and Cass to the river. The mayor said that he made a careful study of the question and could find no reason why the company should not build the road on their own property. The action was reconsidered and re-referred to the committee.
The council ordered the purchase of the two lots adjoining the Vine street school at a price not to exceed \$3,000.
Paving on Clinton, George, Charles,



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er fireman at the pump house was referred.
The W. A. Roosevelt company was given the contract for Crane valves after the action had been approved by the board of public works.
A FAREWELL PARTY FOR MISSES SUNDVAY
The Misses Vera and Verna Sundvay were pleasantly surprised Thursday evening, when about 30 of their friends took possession of their home and made things merry for the time. Supper was served and a pleasant sleighride around the city was enjoyed until about 11 o'clock. The Misses Sundvay were each presented with a signet ring as a remembrance. Those present were Lillian Jolade, Alma Christensen, Dillie Brinstad, Mabel Briebach, Helen Brinbaum, Olive Redpath, Alida Redpath, Stella Nelson, Charlotte McKeith, Edith Knutson, Mattie Taylor, Zella Elsen, Mabel Leaser, Selma Swenson, Helma Gilbertson, Cora Jenks, Vera and Venra Sundvay, and Messrs. T.
How can any person risk taking some unknown cough remedy when Foley's Honey and Tar costs them no more? It is a safe remedy, contains no harmful drugs, and cures the most obstinate coughs and colds. Why experiment with your health? Insist upon having the genuine Foley's Honey and Tar. O. T. Erhart.
The reason every man wants to marry a pretty girl is that everybody else thinks he ought to marry a sensible one.
The man who hates work the most will work the hardest trying to get enough money not to have to do it any more.

REITZEL'S
First Showing of the New Ideas in Correctly Tailored Garments for Spring
Suits, Coats and Skirts That Bear the Hallmark of Fashion
New tailored garments in the accepted styles for the coming Spring have just been received from The Workshop of Worth. STYLE, that touchstone by which all garments are judged, is pre-eminent—the gift of the Workshop of Worth tailors. Wherever it has been possible for these master craftsmen to improve their product they have done so, and we unhesitatingly predict a greater popularity for Worth Styles this season than ever before.
If you are wanting a new Spring garment you may read with authority fashion's decrees for the season from these garments before making your choice.
From \$15 to 50 runs the scale of prices on suits of many kinds and colors— all chosen for some special points which should recommend them to your taste and to your pocketbook. Suits with cutaway fronts, gently sloping, sharply sloping, suits with dip back and vented seams, English walking suits in the hipless, easy-fitting mannish effects—fascinating in their simple, graceful lines. Perfect tailoring is their best ornament, and that they were given in the Workshop of Worth. The fabrics are particularly praiseworthy; beautiful, rich, subdued serges and worsteds in plain weaves and in a multitude of stripes.
\$25 is a wonder-worker here. We put a little special effort on this price, it's such a good average figure. And our suits at \$16.50, \$18.00 or \$20 are just as good at these prices as the higher priced garments are at their prices.
I. B. KNUTESSEN
The suit sketched is a novelty model in the new hipless type without reverses. Has silk messaline scarf with gilt tassel ends. Skirt is gored with panel front and finished with buttons of cloth and messaline. Fabric is an excellent chevron twilled serge; lining is striped taffeta \$27.50
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One of the Really Great Productions
Comes to La Crosse for a Double
Performance

General Lew Wallace's "Ben-Hur," scheduled to fill an engagement of three nights at the La Crosse theater, Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, March 25, 26 and 27, with special matinee on Saturday, the 27th, is the best and most permanently valuable of all the plays based on biblical themes that have been presented during the past decade. Religious dramas may come, be heard and enjoyed, but they one and all impress as the veriest weaklings when this master work is brought forward. Truly this play is for all time.

The present production is most impressive and complete. Not only are the externals of scenic enframement, costuming and mechanical effects, superlatively and stage management of true excellence, but the spirit which permeates both action and speech is of the most reverent and of the finest artistic quality. The movement is stately, yet never ponderous; the race scene, however, being enacted with great animation. Christ's influence is felt from the very moment the performance begins, and yet the brilliancy of the action of the play is not lessened or obscured by it. It is a performance of General Wallace's masterpiece at once dignified, worthy and in an exceptional degree adequate.

The influence that "Ben-Hur" has exercised in reconciling church and stage can scarcely be measured. It has reached millions of people, learned and unlearned, upon all of whom it has acted as an elevating influence. It is the kind of stage entertainment that helps American boys and girls to a deeper consciousness of the meaning of Christ's earth life, being enthralling and instructive. Every detail of the present production has been designed to give an elaborate richness and dignity, and the fascination and bewitching atmosphere of the Holy Land have been set forth with wonderful power, gripping and holding audiences in its spell.

The great success of the Wallace drama has been made possible only by the approval of the public. That approval demonstrates that clean, wholesome dramas of the character of the Wallace-Young romance are appreciated and will be enthusiastically supported by the better element of every community where they are represented.

Seats for "Ben-Hur" go on sale Monday, March 22.

It's easy to be a fool and its foolish to be easy.

If love wasn't blind, Cupid would have a lot more work to do.

All admirers of the chaste in art, all lovers of things beautiful, as well as the many well-wishers for the betterment of the stage and the development of its possibilities for the benefit of mankind will be pleased to learn that the forthcoming production of Wagner's famous mystic drama, "Parsifal," is announced for two performances at the La Crosse theater this afternoon and evening. No production that has ever been presented to the American public has been received with such universal commendations and praise that has been accorded "Parsifal" wherever produced. Scholars and artists, press and clergy, theater-goer and church-goer, all have joined in acclaiming it the gentlest, sweetest and most gratifying story ever enacted upon the stage. This spontaneous outburst of appreciation is not occasioned, as one would be inclined to imagine, because the play emanated from the brain of one of the greatest geniuses that ever lived, Richard Wagner. Other great men have written great plays. The cause lies in the fact that the beautiful story told is one that appeals direct to the heart and soul of every man or woman that has a spark of blood in their veins; that every speech and action used in the development of the simple story are so intensely dramatic that one sits absolutely enthralled with their power and impressiveness. Everything and all pertaining to the play is so different from what we have been so long accustomed to witnessing upon the stage, that one almost seems to be in another world while under its magnetic influence. You watch and wait, with bated breath, each succeeding action and word of the characters appearing in the play. You do not wish to lose one word or act of the whole spectacle, for each one seems to be weighed with so much significance and relation to the one preceding it that you fear lest you might lose the thread of the thrilling and soul-stirring theme and story. It is this intense interest, this absorbing attention, that the play exacts, that holds you spell-bound from beginning to end of each act of this remarkable production.

**PADEREWSKI HERE
ST. PATRICK'S DAY**

It is said that Poland found in music revenge for oppression and dismemberment. Poland may well be proud of her composers. Chopin said the last word in piano music. Tchaikowsky, the greatest name in more modern instrumental music, was of

PARSIFAL PLAYERS



W. F. HARMON as KLINGSOR



La Crosse Theatre, Matinee and Night Today.

Polish descent, Sembrich and the de Reszkes are Poles. The list of pianists includes Chopin, Leschetitzki, Moszkowsky, Slivinski and Josef Hofmann. And from Poland comes the most commanding individuality among virtuosos since Paganini, Jan Ignace Paderewski, one of the greatest living musicians.

If Paderewski were not the astonishing pianist that he is his fame would be secure as a composer, for he is one of the few men now writing music who unite originality of thought with technical mastery. The pity is that he has composed so little. Besides "Manru" he has written two important works for piano and or-

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chestra, a number of works for piano and some works of great interest. He has written a symphony which will be played by the Boston Symphony orchestra this year for the first time. The present tour of Paderewski in America is his eighth, and fourth under the direction of Charles A. Ellis of Boston. His only concert in La Crosse will be in the La Crosse theater, March 17.

**AMATEUR MINSTREL
A HIGH SUCCESS**

Judging from the attendance at the Bijou last night at both performances when the second performance of the amateur minstrel show was put on there seems to be no good reason why the show should not have been put on for a full week. The theatre was packed at both shows and many people were turned away. The bill was put through in real professional styles, the big chorus being in fine voice. Somewhat of an innovation was introduced by Wm. Freise, interlocutor, who appeared in white face dressed in a Louis XV costume with Kiefer and Kline on each side of him as his courtiers. The white faces

NEWS OF NEARBY VILLAGES AND TOWNS

ROUND PRAIRIE, WIS

Theo Johnson of Esocia spent a couple of days with relatives here before leaving for Glendive, Mont., where he intends to spend a couple of years on his claim.

Matt Nelson of Viroqua made a pleasant call with friends here one day last week.

Mrs. S. Skiptad, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Miss Alta Moore entertained a few of her friends Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Tollef Hetland sold a valuable horse last week.

Many of the people in this vicinity attended the box social which was held in the Christian church at Viroqua Thursday evening.

Miss Olga Hetland is spending a few days on Rusley Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lars Hagen and family of South Dakota are visiting friends and relatives here.

Miss Betsy Lund called here last week.

Miss Inger Larson of La Crosse is making a visit with friends and relatives here for a short time.

The funeral of Mrs. Larson, who died last Friday of old age, was held at the Coon Prairie church Monday morning and interment was made at Coon Prairie cemetery.

PRAIRIE DU CHIEN WIS

Miss Millie Lagan is in Chicago this week ordering her spring stock of millinery goods.

Dr. J. W. Rathbun was in Dubuque Wednesday.

The land owners in the vicinity of Prairie du Chien have collectively contracted to grow over five hundred acres of sugar beets this season.

The Dousman house will in the near future, substitute for the bus now used in conveying passengers, an elegant seven passenger car.

Mrs. Harrison Coleman of Bell Center is visiting at the home of her son Clarence Coleman of this city.

Miss Lulu Wunch of Viola is visiting here this week, the guest of the Misses Jessie Atchison and Iva Coleman.

Miss Mae Nickerson is sick this week.

Miss Laura Kramer of Eastman is visiting at the home of F. G. Wetzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Scheid of De Soto are visiting at the Thomas De Lacy home this week.

Frank Mara is in La Crosse, where he will undergo an operation at one of the hospitals.

The funeral of Mrs. Sarah R. King was held at the A. C. Wallin residence Thursday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Mrs. Christie, pastor of the Congregational church.

The Misses Lella Ryder and Minnie Hurlbut are sick.

Nine young ladies and four young men will participate in the high school oratorical contest at the Metropolitan theater Friday night. Miss A. Bell Cass of Bismarck, the oratorical instructor, will be present.

A Religious Author's Statement.

Rev. Joseph H. Fesperman, Salisbury, N. C., who is the author of several books, writes: "For several years I was afflicted with kidney trouble and last winter I was suddenly stricken with a severe pain in my kidneys and was confined to bed eight days unable to get up without assistance. My urine contained a thick white sediment and I passed same frequently day and night. I commenced taking Foley's Kidney Remedy, and the pain gradually abated and finally ceased and my urine became normal. I cheerfully recommend Foley's Kidney Remedy." O. T. Erhart.

formed a pleasant contrast to dark ebony countenances of the rest of the circle. New jokes and gags were introduced which proved very popular. This tentative attempt at a minstrel show at the Bijou proved very successful and will no doubt prove an annual affair.

The New Bill.

A bill of excellent merit has been provided for next week. The Beauvais-Meridior & Co., come highly recommended from the larger cities. They present a one act play entitled "Wild Flower," and tell the story of the love of an Indian maid and an American officer. The Iolein sisters accomplish some remarkable feats, doing sharpshooting while balancing and walking on a tight wire. Camille Personi will entertain in amusing character impersonations and singing. Will H. Fields, as the Bowery pawnbroker is said to be a delineator of most resible quality.

**FRANKLIN STOCK
ALL NEXT WEEK**

The Franklin Stock company of metropolitan players will open a week's engagement at the La Crosse theater tomorrow afternoon and evening with Theodore Kremer's famous domestic melodrama entitled, "Wedded and Parted." This play appeals to all classes. Its scenes and situations follow each other in logical succession, its characters are of the real flesh and blood kind, and its plot is not only plausible but of breathless interest.

The Franklin company comes to La Crosse with the reputation of being one of the best balanced repertory organizations on the road, a company with an excellent list of attractions, and a sterling aggregation of players. High class vaudeville introduced between every act. Mr. John A. Himmelein, the proprietor of the Franklin company, is well known to the theatre-goers everywhere. He is at present the greatest popular priced attraction owner in the world, and he lays his immense success chiefly to the fact that he invariably makes up his companies of first class artists, no matter how high their salaries, and that the plays presented are the best royalty plays obtainable.

LA CROSSE THEATRE - TONIGHT

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Presentation of Richard Wagner's Mystic Festival Drama

PARSIFAL

(IN ENGLISH)

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Based on the Legends of the Holy Grail. Produced at an enormous cost and enacted by a cast of noted players.

SPECIAL NOTICE -- For the convenience of patrons the former rule of commencing the evening performances at 5:30 and giving a two-hour dinner intermission has been done away with. During this engagement the curtain will rise at 7:45 sharp at the evening performance, and 2:30 at the matinee. Carriages may be ordered at 11:15 in the evening and at 5:30 in the afternoon. Auditors should be in their seats at rise of first curtain, as no one will be seated during the action of the play.

SCALE OF PRICE

MATINEE—Box Seats, \$1.50; Lower Floor, \$1.00, 75c; Balcony, 75c, 50c.

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PARSIFAL



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WANTED—Dining room girl and night porter Hotel Bronson. 3-10-15

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WANTED—Woman or girl, two in family, 1701 Market. 3-11-17

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FOR SALE—A 30 horse power fire box portable boiler with 49 foot smokestack and fixtures. Almost new, used two seasons. This is a bargain as \$150.00 will buy the outfit. Address, M. C. R. W., Tribune office. 3-13-16

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FOR SALE—If you want your chickens to lay, buy green bone meal. J. B. Knutson, 5th and Market, La Crosse, Wis. 2-8-11

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FOR SALE—Nine room house, near normal school. Easy terms. Inquire at 1222 Pine St. 2-4-11

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FOR SALE—7 room cottage in good condition, 1 1/2 blocks from car line, city water, electric lights, 1726 Winnebago St. Old phone, 9421. 3-10-11

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FOR SALE—Saloon and rooming house, good location. Excellent business, good reason for selling. Inquire John Ambrose, 400 Mill St., La Crosse, Wis. 2-13 Wed & Sat tf

FOR RENT—Factory plant, corner 7th and La Crosse Sts. Will lease for a term of years to reliable parties, or will consider a sale of same. Will arrange to suit tenants for manufacturing or other purpose. About 10,000 square feet under roof and 10,000 feet adjoining land. An ideal location. Write or call A. M. Goldish. Sat. tf

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS

State of Wisconsin, in Probate; La Crosse County Court.

In the matter of the estate of Albert Schroeder, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County, deceased. Letters testamentary in said matter having been granted to Caroline Schroeder of La Crosse, Wis., notice is hereby given that six months after the 6th day of March, A. D. 1909, are allowed to creditors to present their claims against said deceased for examination and allowance; and that said Court will on the 14th day of Sept., A. D. 1909, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, at the Court Room of said Court in the Court House in the City of La Crosse, in said County, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased.

By the Court,

JOHN BRINDLEY, County Judge.

Dated this 6th day of March, 1909.

JOHN F. DOHERTY, Attorney for Executors.

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE

I want my friends to know that I have consented to be a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace for the City at Large, commonly known as Police Justice. This is a judicial office and no one can properly preside over the Police Court but a lawyer. Vast interests are sometimes at stake in the enforcement of the various ordinances of our city, and they cannot be properly disposed of unless the judge has a legal training and can apply the law to the facts before the court. I have been in the practice of the law so long in this city that I am known to almost every voter, and it is not necessary for me to say one word as to my qualifications. A wrong decision in this court means an appeal to the circuit court, and that means much expense to the county. None but lawyers have ever held this office. Look after the Primary on the 23rd of March.

JOHN A. DANIELS, Attorney at Law.

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks.

NEW YORK March 13. — The trading at the opening of the stock market was very quiet with prices generally showing fractional declines on the first sales, although a few buying orders made a couple of stocks rule a shade higher than yesterday's closing. Third Avenue moved up 1/4 and a fractional gain was made in Consolidated Gas and C. & O. Other changes were in the shape of losses ranging from 1-8 to 1-2 point. After the first few minutes the market became extremely dull.

11 a. m.—Business was the slowest so far this year. Sales by some of the professionals were effective in forcing fractional declines. At the end of the hour, the tone was listless.

Government bonds unchanged; others dull and irregular.

The market closed dull.

Chicago Grain

CHICAGO March 13. — The wheat market today was a very flat affair as compared with yesterday the chief and most significant of yesterday's bullish news, the decrease in the Argentine visible supply having been explained away. Cash trade was poor and mixers were the only buyers here. There was much unloading of wheat by traders who took it yesterday on the upward indemnities and have taken profits. Considerable long wheat was sold today also, one of the largest cash and elevator concerns having sold considerable July on the swells. Reliable export concerns on the seaboard say no export business has been closed today anywhere.

Corn showed a weaker tone today. The demand from the east was poor and offerings from the interior lighter. The trade today was limited, many of yesterday's buyers being disposed to taw profits and wait another week.

Oats were dull but steady. There was more or less short selling of July and September by elevator concerns.

Provisions were lower on profit taking.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 13. — Treasury statement: Receipts, \$1,786,169; disbursements, \$2,090,000.

A FEAST OF GOOD MUSIC

La Crosse Music Lovers Will Be Given An Unusual Treat

THURSDAY, MARCH 25th, WHEN

The MAUDE POWELL CONCERT COMPANY

WILL APPEAR AT GERMANIA HALL.

Miss Powell is recognized as the most accomplished lady violinist in the world, while both Miss Muckle (cello) and Miss Annie Ford (piano) are musicians of the highest order.

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Tickets now on sale at Fred Leithold's Music Store, 325 Main street, and the La Crosse School of Music, 211 South Fifth street, at 75c and \$1.00.

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PRIMARIES, TUESDAY, MARCH 23, 1909

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BARNES WILL HAVE LITTLE OPPOSITION

JURIST IS OUT FOR THE 10-YEAR-TERM

BIG MAJORITY MAKES CINCH

Other Candidates Not Likely to Come Out Against the Man Who Won "Hands Down"

(Fred L. Holmes.)
MADISON, Wis., March 12.—(Special.)—With less than two weeks remaining for the filing of nomination papers at the office of the secretary of state, it is evident that Justice John Barnes of Rhineland, formerly chairman of the railroad rate commission, will have little, if any, opposition. During the past several weeks nomination papers for Mr. Barnes have been quietly circulated

A Plague of Rats

Everybody Should Join in Fighting the Pests.

Rats have grown very numerous of late, being driven indoors by the cold weather, and this has resulted in attacks on children and in some instances on grown persons.
Everybody should join in destroying these dangerous pests. The best way to get rid of them is with Stearns' Electric Rat and Roach Paste, which drives them out of the house to die, and is absolutely reliable.
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and thus far the campaign for the supreme judicial office has passed apparently unnoticed.

Some of the papers have already been received at the office of the secretary of state, but it is understood that the bulk of them will not be received until some time next week, when all will be placed on file.

The term for which Mr. Barnes is now a candidate will begin Jan. 1, 1910, and end Jan. 1, 1919, the term of service being for ten years. Mr. Barnes was elected last spring to fill out the unexpired term caused by the death of Chief Justice J. B. Cassoday. It had long been Mr. Cassoday's intention to retire at the end of the term, Dec. 30, 1909, but he died before his term had expired. R. M. Bashford of Madison was appointed temporarily until a successor could be re-elected, but the election last April resulted in the election of Mr. Barnes by nearly 50,000 majority. His overwhelming endorsement at that time and his record on the bench is said to account for the lack of opposition at this time.

SOCIETY

(Continued from page 5.)

Hansen, Mrs. Maude Carpenter, Prof. Cawley, Mr. Muenster, Mr. Newcomb, Mr. Peterson, Mr. W. Leckie, Raymond Koehn and Mr. I. Fuller.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

Miss Magna Larson will speak at the vesper service on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. The subject will be "Jesus' Habits Through Life." Monday, at 8, Bible class; 7:30, gymnasium.

Tuesday, 7:30, Glee club. The club has new music and members

have very delightful times together. Gymnasium at 7:30.

Thursday, Arts of Conversation, 7 to 8 p. m.; orchestra, 8 p. m.

Friday, Millinery, 7:30 p. m.; gymnasium, 7:30.

The finance campaign is going on slowly but surely. Over \$800 has been secured thus far, and the "Y. W." is very grateful to those who have contributed.

On Thursday evening Miss Chadwick gave a talk on "The Art of Conversation" which the girls thoroughly enjoyed.

A class will be started by Miss Chadwick at the association in the Art of Conversation, and a delightful time is anticipated. The class will begin next Thursday evening, from 7 to 8 o'clock, and it is hoped to have twenty young women. All young women are invited.

The millinery class also held its first spring meeting Thursday evening and those present enjoyed the work under the supervision of Miss Blanchard.

BIRTHDAY FAREWELL PARTY.

A most delightful birthday surprise and farewell party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monti, 506 Cass street. About twenty-five guests were present. Mrs. Monti was presented with a handsome gift. Cards were indulged in until about 11 o'clock. Head prizes were won by Mrs. A. Seger and Mr. H. A. Lee, and the consolation went to Mrs. E. E. Burritt and Mr. Dave Monti. After this a dainty lunch was served. Mr. Dave Monti rendered several selections on the violin. All reported a good time. Those present were Messrs. and Mesdames: T. Monti, A. Drake, A. Seger, H. A. Lee, George Rubert, J. Knothe, J. Schintges, E. E. Burritt, Mrs. P. T. Lanagan, Mrs. M. Foster, Mrs. Anderson, the Misses Jennie Schaller, Elizabeth Drake, Lulu Anderson, Mrs. George Bell, E. Thompson, F. Ward, Dan and Don Monti.

SOCIAL BRIEFS.

Mrs. S. J. Pentler of Milwaukee is visiting her mother, Mrs. Eva Sabelwitz.

Mrs. J. B. Longady returned this morning from New Orleans, where she had been visiting her daughter.

Mrs. W. F. Goodrich and her sister, Miss Huntington of Wausau, have gone to New Orleans and will take in the Mardi Gras.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Morse are east on a trip. They will go to Cuba before their return.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Y. Hyde, Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Allen of this city, and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Powers of Chicago are guests at the Peppers in Los Angeles. They were recently entertained at a reception given by the

TREATMENT OF DYSPEPSIA

The correct treatment of dyspepsia, and in fact, of the milder forms of indigestion, lies in the use of almost any good neutralizing mixture or elixir. The following prescription has been recommended as displaying prompt results. Get from your druggist 1-2 oz. sodium phosphate and 1 oz. essence of sealant. Mix this thoroughly in a half-pint bottle with 1-2 teaspoonful of good baking soda, adding pure water to fill the bottle. Take 2 teaspoonfuls before each meal.

It is said that this mixture will relieve the bowels of gas within fifteen minutes, and that it will permanently cure the most aggravated cases within two or three weeks. Anyone is free to use this formula and make up the medicine at home. All the ingredients can be had from any druggist at a cost of not exceeding 60 or 65 cents.

former townspeople Dr. and Mrs. Edgar Palmer, who are residents of Los Angeles.

Mrs. G. C. Hixon is at Long Beach, Cal., staying with her friend May Wright Sewell. She plans to return to Pasadena soon and join Mr. J. M. Hixon and family.

Miss Jessie Holway is entertaining Miss Wilmarth of Glenns Falls, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Domstrich of Minneapolis are in the city and will attend the wedding of their niece, Miss Maud Harrington.

Miss Georgine McDonald returned this week from Mankato, where she was the guest of Mrs. Munson Burton. While there she was taken with a severe attack of appendicitis. Miss Alice uBating returned this week from Washington and Baltimore.

The Twentieth Century club will meet Tuesday with Mrs. J. J. Calahan.

The Woman's union of the Congregational church will be entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. J. L. Calahan and Mrs. Abram James at the home of Dr. Calahan.

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A merciless murderer is Appendicitis with many victims. But Dr. King's New Life Pills kill it by prevention. They gently stimulate stomach, liver and bowels, preventing that clogging that invites appendicitis, curing Constipation, Biliousness, Chills, Malaria, Headache and Indigestion, 25c at O. T. Erhart's.

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Silkized Poplin in white and plain colors, a very pleasing fabric, at the yard . . . 35c
Double fold Gingham, always sold at 12 1-2c and a fine value at that, now at the yard . . . 9c

A fresh shipment of Loraine Tissues has just arrived. They come plain and embroidered and are excellent values, at the yard . . . 25c
We're showing a big line of curtain nets, swiss and Madras in white ecru and colors—a very pretty line, at the yard, 12 1-2c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 50c and . . . 59c

Karl G. Kurtenacker
MGR.

WOULD ABOLISH CHILD WHIPPING

The Young Men's Brotherhood club met at the home of Paul Masterson 210 Sumner street, Friday evening. After the regular business was disposed of some of the members participated in a lively debate. The question was, "Resolved, that corporal punishment in the public schools should be abolished. The affirmative was upheld by Harold Shaw assisted by Clayton Marvin and Charles Blanchard, while Thomas Knight led the negative assisted by

Floyd Stoter and Chas. Shaw. The jury was Clara Masterson, Walter Button and Millicent Spencer, who decided 2 to 1 in favor of the affirmative. Refreshments were served during the evening.

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When High Standard Qualities Are Considered

Some notable values are listed here. Others are being advertised from day to day, yet it must not be supposed that the only excellent values to be obtained at this store are those advertised. Every day there are some special offerings, perhaps just the one you are wanting, therefore a daily visit to this EXCLUSIVE WOMEN'S GARMENT STORE will always be of interest to women who are economically inclined.



Smart Spring Styles in Women's Skirts

\$5.00 Each for skirts made of fine chiffon panama cloth; skirts are made full, satin button trimmed at sides, come in black, blue, brown and taupe.

\$5.95 Each for skirts in black, blue and brown of fine chiffon panama cloth; neatly trimmed with self-covered buttons in front, back and sides.

\$6.50 Each for skirts in black, blue, brown and taupe of fine panama cloth, self-fold at the bottom, neatly piped and button trimmed.

\$10.00 Each for skirts of fine French serge; in blue, black, brown and grey, neatly trimmed with satin piped bands and narrow folds also satin covered buttons.

\$8.45 Each for voile skirts made of Altman's voile, nicely trimmed at sides with large satin covered buttons.

ABOUT two hundred and fifty new spring suits are now in our stock. More we believe than any other store in our city is showing today. The news today, though, is of several especially attractive and thoroughly good styles, which can never be duplicated. See them.

\$15.00 Each for suits made of chiffon panama cloth; colors blue, brown, black and resida green, full taffeta lined, neatly trimmed with braid and buttons on collar, cuffs and pockets, skirts in the new gored model, button trimmed in front.

\$18.95 Each for suits made of fine wool serge; in black, blue and brown, the coats full satin lined, nicely trimmed with braid and buttons. Skirt of the gored style neatly button trimmed.

\$22.50 Each for suits in light grey, brown and blue panama cloth; coats full taffeta lined, bengaline silk trimmed collar, cuffs and pockets, skirts trimmed with buttons and piped folds.

\$25.00 Each for suits made of fine worsted cloths; in a great variety of colorings and styles. These suits at the price we honestly believe are the best offered at this price. We only ask that you see them, then judge for yourself.

Very Attractive Styles in Women's Coats

\$5.00 Each for coats made of fine wool covert cloth; 30 inch length, nicely self-trimmed, excellent value at the price.

\$5.95 Each for coats made of covert, also fancy dark mixture materials; 32 inches long, well tailored and neatly self-trimmed. Extra special.

\$7.50 Each for coats made of bird's eye covert; 32 inch lengths, silk and self trimmings. Very good.

\$15.00 Each for coats made of finest quality French serge; 36 inches long, full satin or taffeta lined, in plain, also self-trimmed models.

\$20.00 Each for coats made from fancy striped "show-er" cloth, collar and cuffs overlaid with silk bangaline, self button and bengaline loop trimming.



Our showing of Silk Petticoats is large and varied. You can find here the plain, also changeable and fancy taffeta silks in a fine selection of models. The prices, when you see the quality, will surprise you. \$3.95, 5.95, 5.95, 6.50, 7.50, 8.50, \$10 up

The New Spring Waists are so vastly different from previous seasons that we know you will enjoy seeing them and especially when you notice the small pricing. Silk, net and washable \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.39, \$1.50, \$1.85, \$2, \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50 and up